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There is No Time Like the Right Time To Do Anything

Prevailing prices at our store on our entire stock of winter merchandise are such as to make this the time for you to get busy.

Big reductions on all shoes and our stock is in such good condition that you will have no trouble in finding shoes to suit you.
Better come today and let us fit you.

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HAWES HATS

CLAPP SHOES

Summary of the News.

Gov. Haskell and party leave Guthrie to visit Kansas City and Lincoln, Neb.
Democratic club of Mattaan Ill., indorses Bryan for president and Gov. Haskell of Oklahoma for vice president.
Army canteen association active in its efforts to secure its restoration.
Secretary Taft has promised to end Cuban occupation next spring if possible.
Union station annex at Kansas City burned with an estimated loss of \$250,000.
Increase of the width of the Panama Canal from 100 to 110 feet recommended by Secretary Taft.
U. C. V. Commander in Chief Lee opposed to proposed "blue and gray" reunion.
Application of former Mayor Schmitz of San Francisco for bail refused.
Assistant secretary of the security Oil Company of Texas a witness at the hearing of the government's suit for dissolution of the Standard.
Thaw trial moves with rush; opening plea of Counsel Littleton for the defense contains many surprises.
Supreme court upholds the Kansas anti-liquor law.
Aldrich promises Cortelyou's reply to Culberson's resolution regarding recent bond issue will be presented to the Senate Wednesday; democrats expect disclosure will compel investigation a recent treasury transactions.
New York Stock Exchange firm of Robert Maclay & Co., suspends with obligations of \$1,500,000.
House debate on penal code bill brings out vigorous defense of state rights by democrats; their amendment defeated, the votes being all on party lines.
Nearly 100 lives lost in fire in opera house at Boyertown, Pa.; many jumped from windows and scores of women and children are trampled upon in mad rush for safety.
Retired German army officer asserts mobilization of the United States Army under present conditions would produce a very poor result.
New Year's ukase of Russian Emperor appoints a new Minister of Education to succeed M. von Kauffman of Liberal tendencies.
Great gold mining camp at El Oro, Mex., burning; principal hotels and business buildings in ashes and whole town threatened.
WOULD ERECT PUBLIC BUILDINGS
Fulton Introduces Bills for Five Cities of New State.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 13.—Mr. Fulton introduced bills today calling for the erection of public buildings at El Reno, Woodward, Anadarko, Oklahoma City and Alva.

AT COST

We are selling the celebrated
Hawks Crystalized Lenz
and clear cut crystals in Spectacles and Eye Glasses
at cost.

\$3.50 Glasses at \$1.75
3.00 Glasses at 1.50
2.50 Glasses at 1.25
1.50 Glasses at 75

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LEGAL DESCRIPTION INCLUDED
MEASURE INTRODUCED BY
OKLAHOMA SENATORS.

ONE COPIES CALIFORNIA LAW

Redwine of McAlester Uses Provision
Incorporated on Statute Books of
Gold State—Provides Penalty.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 13.—Trusts and monopolies, and what shall constitute them in Oklahoma, are amply defined in two bills introduced by Senators Redwine of McAlester and Davis of Bristow. Senator Redwine took his bill from the laws of California and Texas. The definition is determining what are combinations in restraint of trade. He improves upon the Texas law by providing that the state shall have a receiver appointed at any time the act is violated by any person firm or corporation in restraint of trade. The punishment is greater than provided in California in that the convicted shall be fined from 50 to \$5,000 and confined in the penitentiary from six months to two years.

Senator Davis takes his definition from the Sherman anti-trust law, which in a legal way has been held to serve the general purposes. Under the Davis bill a \$29,000,000 fine could not be assessed. If a conviction is made the penalty is from two to ten years in the penitentiary. Such penalty shall be imposed if any person shall enter an agreement or understanding to form a conspiracy in restraint of trade or commerce, or shall be a party to it, or who shall attempt to make such agreement. Any agent, employee, officer, director or stockholder who carries out the orders to violate the terms of the act in restraint of trade is likewise guilty and may receive the prison sentence. Included in this section is an inhibition, under a criminal penalty, against the sale of commodities at less than cost or given away for the purpose of driving out competition or the giving of rebates.

Any concern outside of the state which aids or abets in the formation of a trust or monopoly for an agent of a combination to carry out the orders of a concern in restraint of trade without incurring the penitentiary sentence.

The Davis bill also covers the making of false affidavits for the purpose of getting license, the same being made perjury.

TO WIDEN CANAL LOCKS.

Taft Writes President Recommending Same.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 13.—Secretary Taft has written a letter to the president, recommending an increase of the width of the Panama canal locks from one hundred feet as at present planned, to one hundred and ten feet, the change will cost about five million dollars addition but meets naval views as to the likelihood of larger battleships in the future.

DIRECT ELECTION COMMISSION.

Will Urge Appointment of Similar Bodies in Other States and Hold Convention.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 13.—Gov. Haskell has named the following as the senatorial direct election commission of Oklahoma, as provided for under the resolution of Senator Franklin of Madrid; William H. Murray of Tishomingo, Speaker of the Oklahoma house; Thomas H. Doyle of Perry, George H. Evans, editor of the Chickasha Daily Express, and Jesse J. Dunn of Alva, member of the state supreme court, all democrats.

The republican members of the commission are Clarence B. Douglass, editor of the Muskogee Phoenix; Dr. John Threadgill of Oklahoma City, formerly of Taylor, Tex.; T. B. Ferguson, editor of the Watonga Herald and Ex-Governor of Oklahoma Territory, and D. L. Sleeper of Tulsa, former Speaker of the Ohio House of representatives.

The commission is directed by the resolution to urge the appointment of similar commissions in other states for the purpose of securing a convention of states looking to the election of senators by direct vote of the people. The scheme is commonly referred to as the "Oklahoma Plan."

AWFUL HOLOCAUST IN OPERA
HOUSE FIRE AT BOYERTOWN, PA.

G.S. TANK EXPLODES

Women and Children Trampled Upon
in Mad Rush Many Jump from
Windows.

Boyertown, Pa., Jan. 13.—A catastrophe horrifying in its details and sickening in its results tonight swept nearly one hundred souls of this borough into eternity in almost the twinkling of an eye and injured nearly three score, many of them fatally. A majority of the dead were members of the leading families of the town.

While the "Scottish Reformation" was being produced in Rhoads' Opera house by Mrs. Monroe of Washington a tank used in a moving picture scene exploded. Immediately there was a wild rush for the exits of the building. Men of mature years endeavored to still the panic, but their voices could not be heard above the shrieks and screams of the terrified women and children who composed the greater part of the audience.

The scenes can not be portrayed fitly by the most imaginative. The blood curdling cries for help of those who were penned in within the walls of the blazing structure could be heard above the roaring, seething flames. It seemed as though nearly the entire audience made a mad rush for the exits the moment the explosion occurred.

In their attempt to quiet the crowd, those persons who were on the stage accidentally upset the coal oil lamps used as the footlights. The burning oil scattered in all directions and the lamps which were used to light the opera house exploded, throwing the blazing oil over the terror-stricken people who were fighting frantically to gain the exits.

In the mad rush, a section of the floor gave away, precipitating scores of persons to the basement. As the floor collapsed, the shrieks of the helpless persons who were carried down were heard for blocks.

COUNTY COURT.

Criminal Docket Light in First Term
of County Court.

The following is the setting of the docket for the January term of the county court. Said term extends from the first Monday in January to the first Monday in March, 1908.

Monday, Feb. 3.—Criminal Docket.
6 State of Oklahoma vs. Lloyd Robinson, liquor.
12 State of Oklahoma vs. John Blocker, liquor.
8 State of Oklahoma vs. Joe Belt, liquor.
13 State of Oklahoma vs. John Frazier resisting an officer.
Tuesday, Feb. 4.
19 State of Oklahoma vs. Ollie Lancaster, liquor.

NOTICE !!

It has long been the custom of business men to commence the new year with a new set of books.

We wish to announce that our stock of

LEDGERS,
DAY BOOKS,
CASH BOOKS,
and RECORDS

Is complete. We have both single and double entry ledgers, from 100 to 600 pages.

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Just received our new spring Dress Gingham, the prettiest patterns we have ever had. We take pleasure in showing these gingham. We have over 100 bolts for you to select from

A FEW OF THIS WEEK'S CLEAN-UPS

25 Boys Suits, ages 8 to 6, cheap at \$2, go at \$1.25	16 Boys Overcoats, ages 6 to 11, worth up to \$2, at \$1.25
18 Boys Suits, 4 to 6, worth \$2.50, go at \$1.50	Don't fail to see our 10c table. A few of its contents:
22 Boys Suits, 4 to 12, worth \$1.50 and \$1.25, go at 75	Large granite wash pan.
62 Pcs. Men's Pants, worth up to \$2, clean-up price \$1.25	Granite stew kettle.
Don't forget, we never carry goods from one season to another. See what we are showing in wool shirts, per pair \$1.75	Granite mixing bowls.
14 Boys Suits, worth up to \$2.50, ages 12 to 16 go at \$1.25	12-quart tin dish pan.
	10-quart tin dairy pan.
	Large bottle talcum powder.
	Large glass bowls.
	3 Boxes Search Light matches.
	4 Nest Eggs.
	50-Foot clothes line.

Come in and let us show you our every day bargains. Remember at all times we guarantee our prices to be lower on the same goods.

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THE ADA NATIONAL BANK

At the head of the Financial Institutions of the city stands the Ada National Bank. Over seven years under one management. The accounts and other affairs of customers are kept strictly private. Small accounts receive same attention as larger ones. Merchants and farmers will find it to their interest to open an account now with

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ADA, OKLAHOMA.

17 Gay & Harris vs. Frisco Ry Co et al Friday, Feb. 7.
18 W. M. Baughman vs. C. F. Pirtle et al.
19 George W. Hicks vs. D. M. Carnell
20 J. S. Mullins vs. W. H. Champion
21 Ben King vs. J. L. Law.
22 John Hilton vs. Judge Hilton.
23 Farmers Bank of Ada vs. George Berry.

GOVERNOR HASKELL DEPARTS

Is Scheduled to Deliver Addresses in Kansas City and Lincoln.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 13.—Gov. Haskell and party left tonight for Kansas City and Lincoln, Neb. Gov. Haskell will deliver speeches at both places. Lieut. Gov. Bellamy, conducting the office of governor during the former's absence, will leave Senator Henry B. Johnson presiding officer of the state senate.

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OTIS B. WEAVER, Editor and Owner.

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WM. McDANIEL WRITES.

A Strong Article to His Fellow Farmers on Great Benefits of Co-Operation.

Ada, Okla., Jan. 13, 1908.—To the Farmers' Union of Pontotoc County, Attention! I stated in the last issue of this paper that organization without co-operation was a failure. So it would be well for us to consider the subject of co-operation a little. I wish to state here that co-operation is the performance of an act, by the assistance of one or more in doing or accomplishing something that you can not do by yourself. The world stands indebted today to the power of co-operation, for the many advantages that the human family enjoys, and the high plane of civilization to which the world has attained. The whole structure of our social system is based on co-operation. The food that we eat, the clothes we wear and all education or knowledge we attain are products of co-operation. Man individually has accomplished but little, but the world by co-operation has performed wonders. I don't see how two men boasting of their individuality can look each other in the face without laughing, at this age of the world.

Yes, we live in an age of co-operation, but not universal. We have only moved from the mile post of individuality to limited co-operation. There is no union existing between the laboring class of people as a whole. They are divided into groups, however, these groups are called unions, such as the Farmers' Union, Coal Miners Union, Carpenters Union, and so on. Now let me impress upon your mind that when all those craft unions learn to co-operate and move in harmony with each other there will be something doing in America. As a reminder of man's individuality let your mind drift back to the days when the fishermen plied their crafts or boats around the shores of Galilee. Now adjust your glasses and behold co-operation, see our great navies as they cut their way through the briny deep.

See our merchant and transportation vessels as they ride the tossing billows of the Atlantic. The Indian in his wigwam, or as he chases the buffalo across the broad and expansive prairie, the Arab on his camel as he drifts his way on his tireless journey across the great desert, are but pictures of man's individuality.

But now look again the great prairies is converted into beautiful homes decorated here and there with grand cities. The desert is made to bloom with roses. The busy wheels of industry moves day and night, and from the furnace can be seen the smoke curling up from almost every hill and valley this is co-operation. Now we have another class of people who are also organized. We sometimes call them captains of industry. They are also in groups, but they are nearing the point of universal co-operation and each group controls a different department of industry, but between them all, they have all the public utilities upon which the people in common depend, tied up. One group controls the money, another transportation, another coal, another oil, and so on. I will here give you a table which will enable you to understand how they do business.

- 10 units make one combine.
 - 10 combines make one corporation.
 - 10 corporations make one merger.
 - 10 mergers make one get'em-all.
- Now I hope you see that co-operation means that we all have to move

Mason's Good Hot Soda

We say good in connection with our Hot Soda in a way to emphasize Good. Its the goodness we want to talk about. Anybody serve hot soda but anybody can't serve it quite so good as we do. You will believe that once you have a Hot Soda at

Mason Drug Co.

together in whatever we undertake, and remember we will have to co-operate in buying back the finished article as well as in selling the raw material, if we don't the price will be raised on the finished article to balance against all the income on the raw material. So let us all hang together for fear we might hang separate. Yours for the cause.

WM. McDANIEL.

Trial Catarrh treatments are being mailed out free, on request, by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA.

Pontotoc County. In District Court Bertie Beasley, plaintiff, vs. Barney B. Beasley, defendant. No. 22.

Said defendant Barney B. Beasley will take notice that he has been sued in the above named court by the plaintiff, Bertie Beasley for a divorce and must answer the petition filed therein by said plaintiff on or before the 13th day of February, A. D., 1908; or said petition will be taken as true, and a judgment for said plaintiff in said action for a divorce will be rendered accordingly.

Dated this 14th day of January, 1908.

W. T. COX, District Clerk.

J. D. CRAWFORD, Attorney for Plaintiff.

PASSES TILLMAN RESOLUTION

Senate Calls for Information Regarding Railroad Purchases of Stock of Competing Lines.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The senate today passed Mr. Tillman's resolution calling upon the interstate commerce commission for information concerning purchases by railroad companies of stock of competing roads.

The unfinished business in the form of the bill to codify the penal laws of the United States was placed before the Senate and the reading of the bill was begun.

At 3:22 p. m. senate adjourned until tomorrow.

When the Stomach, Heart or Kidney nerves get weak, then these organs always fail. Don't drug the Stomach, nor stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. That is simply a makeshift. Get a prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. The Restorative is prepared expressly for these weak inside nerves. Strengthen these nerves, build them up with Dr. Shoop's Restorative—tablets or liquid—and see how quickly help will come. Free sample on request by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Your health is surely worth this simple test. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

Bryan and Haskell.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 13.—Gov. Haskell is in receipt of resolutions adopted by the democratic club of Matton, Ill., endorsing Bryan for president and Haskell for vice president.

The letter accompanying the resolutions modestly requests the governor not to interfere with the club's plans. The governor will reply that he is now busy with affairs as governor of Oklahoma.

FOR SIX FEDERAL BUILDINGS.

Bills Are Introduced in Senate by Gore.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 13.—Senator Gore introduced bills today providing for the erection of public buildings at Tulsa, Chickasaw, McAlester, Ardmore, Vinifolia and Lawton.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that T. Frank Smith, a minor seventeen years of age will, through his father and next friend, T. J. Smith, after two weeks publication of this notice, file a petition before the Hon. A. T. West, judge of the district court of Pontotoc county, State of Oklahoma, to have his disabilities removed for the purpose of making sale of lot number 2, block number 196, of the incorporated town of Roff, Oklahoma, which lot is held by and in the name of said minor, T. Frank Smith.

Witness my hand this 27th day of December, A. D., 1907.

T. FRANK SMITH,

By T. J. Smith, father and next friend to said minor. dlt wit

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W. M. THOMPSON, TRUSTEE.

The Allen Precinct Trustee Attends the County Meeting of Such Officers; Talks to the News.

The entire number of trustees representing the various precincts of the county held a convention in Ada on Monday when there were considered matters connected with their duties and of considerable importance to the tax payers of the county.

One of the considerations of the meeting, states Mr. Thompson of Allen, was the discussion by the trustees of the equitable basis of assessment of live stock. It was finally agreed that the best grade of horses should be assessed at the maximum value of \$100, and the assessment to be reduced gradually below \$100, as that class of stock should appear to be of less grade. Likewise, mules will be assessed at the maximum value of \$125 each or \$250 a span. Excepting swine, there will be no assessment on stock less than 6 months of age. Cattle from 6 months to one year of age will be assessed at the valuation of \$5.00. All cows and heifers two years and more will be assessed at a valuation of \$10. All steers from three years up at a valuation of \$20. The assessed value of swine will be on the basis of 4c a pound.

Goats and sheep are placed at a valuation of \$2.50 each.

It will be remembered by the tax payers that under the constitution, it is the duty of the trustees to assess a full valuation on all taxable property.

WOULD DESTROY FLEET.

Police of Rio Have Notice from Paris of Presence There of Anarchists.

Rio de Janeiro, Jan. 13.—The police here are notified by the Paris police that French anarchists are in Rio with the intention of destroying the American battleship fleet. Strict measures are being adopted.

To check a cold quickly, get from your druggist some little Candy Cold Tablets called Preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing Preventics, for they are not only safe, but decidedly effective and prompt. Preventics contain no quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the "sneeze stage" Preventics will prevent Pneumonia, Bronchitis, La Grippe, etc. Hence the name, Preventics. Good for febrile children. 48 Preventics 25 cents. Trial Boxes 5c. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

J. L. Mason and J. W. Wells of Frank, were in the city today.

Mrs. Claude Rodarmel.

The News is glad to chronicle the gradual recovery of Mrs. Claude Rodarmel who suffered the misfortune of severely spraining an ankle a week ago.

\$100 REWARD. \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

HOW'S THIS?

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Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

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FRISCO TIME TABLE.

Effective December 1st, 1907.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 598 Eastern Express... 9:58 a. m.

No. 510 Meteor... 4:00 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 509 Meteor... 10:50 a. m.

No. 507 Sherman Express... 8:53 p. m.

A BEAUTIFUL COMPLEXION FREE

Now Revealed

What beauty is more desirable than an exquisite complexion and elegant woman to obtain beauty, for a limited time only.

The directions and recipe for obtaining a faultless complexion is the secret long guarded by the thousands of the Orientals and Europeans. We obtained this secret from work and great expense. It is the method used by the fairest and most beautiful women of Europe.

This secret is easily understood and simple to follow and it will save you the expense of creams, cosmetic treatments and forever give you a beautiful complexion and free your skin from pimples, bad color, blackheads, etc. It alone is worth to you many times the price we ask you to see for the genuine diamond ring of later design.

We sell you this ring at one small profit above manufacturing cost. Its price is less than one-half that of the charge. The recipe is free with every ring.

It is a genuine rose-cut diamond ring of sparkling brilliancy, absolutely like a DeBeers with Tiffany setting. 12Kt. gold shell; at your local jeweler it would cost considerably more than \$2.00.

We mail you this beautiful complexion recipe free when your order is received for ring and \$2.00 in money order, stamps or bills. Get your order before our supply is exhausted.

This offer is made for a limited time only as a means of advertisement, and introducing our goods.

Send today before this opportunity is forgotten.

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32 East 23rd Street, New York City.

Prof. A. J. Weber of Cleveland, Ohio, will be in Ada January 7th, if you piano needs tuning leave your name with Mathews Music Co. Std

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In reading matter that your money can buy is your local paper. It keeps you posted on the doings of the community.

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will tell you the things you want to know in an entertaining way; will give you all the news of the community; its every visit will prove a pleasure; it gives more than full value for the price asked for it.

During the long, dreary winter months, mothers become tired, worn out, can't eat, sleep or work. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest blessing for mothers. Makes them happy and well. 35c Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

A tickling cough, from any cause is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. And it is so thorough, harmless and safe, that Dr. Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation, even to very young babies. The wholesome green leaves of tender stems of a lung-healing mountainous shrub, furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It calms the cough, and heals the sore and sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Simply a resinous plant extract that helps to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the Doctor uses, "The Sacred Herb." Always demand Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

Indigestion

Stomach trouble is but a symptom of, and not a real disease. We think of Dyspepsia, flatulency, and indigestion as real diseases, yet they are symptoms only of a certain specific nerve sickness—nothing else. It was this fact that first correctly led Dr. Shoop to the creation of that now very popular Stomach Remedy—Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Going direct to the stomach nerves, alone brought that success and gave to Dr. Shoop and his Restorative, without that original and highly vital—simple, no such lasting accomplishments were ever to be had. For stomach distress, bloating, biliousness, head and nerve pain, indigestion, or any of the above, Dr. Shoop's Restorative—Tablets or Liquid—used as directed will what it can and will do. We mail you a free sample of our Restorative.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

G. M. RAMSEY

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Is your baby thin, weak, fretful?

Make him a *Scott's Emulsion* baby.

Scott's Emulsion is Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites prepared so that it is easily digested by little folks.

Consequently the baby that is fed on *Scott's Emulsion* is a sturdy, rosy-cheeked little fellow full of health and vigor.

ALL DRUGGISTS; 50c. AND \$1.00.

The Ada News Subscription Contest.

From last Monday, December 24, to continue four months, ending March 31st, The News inaugurated a great SUBSCRIPTION CONTEST devoted to securing a larger and more extended circulation and to properly rewarding those who may become our associates and helpers in this undertaking.

All the premiums will be listed in the order of their conservatively estimated values. At the expiration of the contest, the premium awards will be made by the contest judges who will be selected with a view to their fitness, based on their reputations for honesty and fair dealing.

To the lady contestant securing the highest number of votes there will be given a \$500 upright standard brand piano, accompanied with a guarantee of ten years purchased from the Mathews Music Company of Ada, a most responsible music house. See splendid piano displayed in their store window. To the contestant, Ladies and Gentlemen included—securing the second highest number of votes there will be given a warranty deed to a Three Hundred (\$300.00) dollar dwelling lot situated in the most select part of Sunrise Addition, Ada, Okla. This pretty lot has a prospective value of easily Even Hundred and Fifty Dollars, for it is level and high and close in, and is the adjoining lot to one on which is constructed splendid two story \$4,000 home. Within one block of the lot which will be given away is situated the elegant homes of Tom Chambliss, Henry Ferman, Tom Hope, Dr. Legon, Mrs. Sowers, Dr. King, Henry Young, A. M. Croxton and J. E. Miles, which represents actual real estate values of more than Thirty Thousand (\$30,000) dollars.

There will be several other premiums included in other valuable real estate situated in the more substantial towns in this section, and in addition a \$100 standard typewriter and an \$80.00 life scholarship in HHI's business college.

This is called The News \$1,500 Subscription Contest, for it is proposed to give that much in value in premiums. So attractive will be this contest, that those entering may safely feel certain that for a few week's pleasant occupation, there may be secured not only wide reputation for popularity and high standing, but, as well the ownership of substantial property, which under ordinary circumstances would take many long months of hard labor to acquire.

The News suggests that you be first from your community to get in the contest. You will be gratified to learn the number of your friends who will save News coupons good for six votes for you and as well renew their subscriptions and become new subscribers. For every dollar collected in any manner on subscription to the News there will be credited in favor of contestant whom subscriber may designate One Hundred Votes. It has been decided that for every dollar paid on subscription to The Daily News, there will only be allowed fifty votes instead of One Hundred Votes as in the Weekly News and instead of each coupon in the Daily News being good for six votes as in the Weekly News, each Coupon will only be worth one vote.

This premium contest is inaugurated principally in behalf of The Weekly News, and it is determined that the rules promulgated shall not militate against the boys and girls and men and women in the country districts. After this week the location of the premiums, in contest will be published that all may determine for themselves the value of News premium offers.

All interested parties are cordially invited to communicate with the editor, either through correspondence or by personal call.

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U. G. Winn is transacting business at Stonewall today.

Will deliver prescriptions and medicines. J. E. JONES DRUG CO.

Mrs. F. M. Massengale returned from Asher this morning.

Don't pass up my line of bookkeeping outfits, if they did arrive late. DR. HOLLEY.

J. B. Ingram went to Sasakwa today.

Clothing half price in our big clearance sale. COX-GREER-McDONALD CO.

Mrs. A. Fulton left this morning for a few days visit at Sherman.

Invoice ledgers, cash books, day books and journals, just arrived at Holley's Drug Store.

W. H. L. Campbell came in this morning from Guthrie.

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Mrs. N. Y. Hollifield returned from Konawa this morning.

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J. C. Cates went to Stonewall this morning.

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J. L. Spruce went to Stonewall this morning.

The most popular young lady in the county will secure a \$500 piano, given by The News.

A. L. Beck went to Oklahoma City Monday.

FOR SALE—One good milch cow, calf about two weeks old. Joe Rushing, Ada, Okla.

Rev. J. B. McDonald of Vinita, is here today mingling with friends.

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Rev. C. M. Coppege spent Monday night with Ada friends.

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Miss Maudena White is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Tally in Sunrise.

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Mrs. Robert Wimble and Children went to Stonewall this morning on a short visit.

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Mrs. Graves came in Monday from Houston, Tex., to make Ada her future home.

We will make it to your advantage P. B. WILSON LUMBER CO. to figure with us on your bill. J. HENRY COLLINS, Manager.

Mrs. Will Moon who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. H. J. Slack returned to her home at Caddo this morning.

Hon. Claude Stringer, prominent attorney from Oklahoma City, and an old boyhood friend and schoolmate of the News editor, is in the city today.

Mrs. J. Phillips, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. D. Reed returned to her home at New Orleans this morning.

Half price on Clothing means something, especially at our store because it is an established fact that we carry the best in town. COX-GREER-McDONALD CO.

Mrs. Meadows, state organizer of the Woodmen Circle was here last night and installed officers of the Circle. She left this morning for Muskogee.

Forty-Six Organized.

Supt. Pierce of Pontotoc county schools has up to date organized forty-six of the 54 which have been laid out. He says that since state superintendent, Cameron, has extended the time limit, 30 days for organizing purposes, he will have the total number in a thorough organized shape in due time to procure the county's pro rata share of the state fund. About 7000 children of school age have been reported to date.

Oxaline.

Absence makes the heart grow fonder. Peroxide makes the blood more blooder. Oxaline makes the grass grow larger. Spread it on!

Court News.

The case of J. W. Davis vs. the M. K. and T. railroad was concluded this morning. Davis recovered \$325. The case of T. B. McKeown vs. J. C. Meaders was up throughout the afternoon. It is reported that the grand jury will make a report this afternoon. Marriage license were issued in favor of O. L. Unsell and Beattie Hathaway of York.

Fifteen Applicants.

H. C. Cusey, representing the U. S. Indian agency concluded two days' labors today in the hearing of applications for the removal of restrictions. At 3 p. m. fifteen applicants had been heard and their petitions heard. He is accompanied by his secretary, Oliver K. Chandler. Their next stop will be at Bartlesville.

Sunday at the Presbyterian Church. (Continued.)

Now I ask can James contradict Paul and Moses, patriarchs and prophets, Jesus Christ and apostles? Surely not. What do they say with regard to the justification of sinners? Gen. 15:6. "And he believed in the Lord, and he counted it to him for righteousness." This is what Moses says about the justification of Abraham and this was long before Isaac was born. Hence the condition of justification is fully revealed in Gen. Paul, what do you say about it? Gal. 3:6-9. Here the apostle reasons from Abraham's justification, proving that both Jews and heathens are justified, saved by faith only. The justification of Abraham is the manner, the method, the pattern of the justification of sinners in all ages. If he were justified by works, so are they; but if the condition of his justification was faith without works, then the condition of their justification is the same. Rom. 4:1-5. Here the apostle shows, first and quotes Gen. 15:6 that Abraham was justified by faith only. Second, then the general application is made "to him (whosoever) that worketh not, but believeth on him that justifieth the ungodly, his faith (not works) is counted for righteousness." Rom. 4:20-24. Here the Scriptures prove Abraham was strong in faith, giving glory to God, more than 20 years before Isaac was born. The period between the justification of Abraham by faith and his justification by works when he offered Isaac was at least 35 years. If it takes 35 years to save one man, then it takes 35 years to save all men, for all are saved just like Abraham. See Rom. 4:20-24. These scriptures declare that Abraham's faith was counted for righteousness, and not his works. Then it is certain that faith was the only condition of his pardon. It is also so certain that he was saved by faith long before Isaac was born. This testimony entirely excludes the notion that any act of obedience in the way of works, was connected with his justification in the sense of pardon. A more illustrious example of faith is not to be found in the sacred Book. In Rom. and Gal. chapters 4 and 3, from which these quotations are made, the apostle is discussing the subject of justification, or pardon; and faith is presented as the only condition of pardon. Acts 10:43. Faith in Jesus Christ was the condition of pardon proclaimed by all the prophets to all the Jews through all the past. The same condition of pardon is now proclaimed to the Gentiles for all the future. Rom. 1:16-17. Here we have one Jesus Christ and one gospel to all men—Jews and Gentiles. God has never instituted but one law of pardon. That law embraces all ages and is the same to each individual member of our race. The righteousness of God in that gospel is revealed from faith to faith, and not from faith to works, hence the two dispensations in the remedial scheme show that God never had but one method of justifying the ungodly, and that by faith in Jesus Christ. "It pleased God by the foolishness of preaching to save them that believe."

The work of God, in order to remission of sin or pardon, is faith only. See John 6:28-29. We are born of God by faith in Jesus Christ. 1. John 5:1. Everlasting life is secured by faith. John 5:24. Good works are no where in the word of God declared to procure remission of sins, but good works are declarative of our faith. We keep God's commandments because we love him, and in order to love him. Paul is to the point in hand. Ephe. 2:8-10. We are "created in Christ Jesus unto good Works." On our part the condition is faith only. Being saved, God works in us to will and to do. Phil. 2:12-13. Sinners are justified by faith Rom. 5:1-2. They are purified by faith. Acts 15:9. If the heart is purified it is made free from sin. "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God." We are sanctified by faith. Acts 26:18. We are saved by faith. Acts 16:31. "What must I do to be saved? Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved." Salvation is the point in question and salvation is the point in answer. Jesus is the name, and faith

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the only condition. Luke 7:50. "Woman, thy faith hath saved thee, go in peace." 1 Pet. 1:9. "Receiving the end of your faith (what is that) even the salvation of your soul." A man's honest opinion is no where made a standard of justification.

The believer is not condemned. John 3:18. The believer has peace with God. Rom. 5:1. The believer is a child of God. Gal. 3:26. If a child then an heir of God and a joint heir with Christ. Rom. 8:17. The believer has the righteousness of God. Rom. 3:22. The believer has everlasting life. John 5:24. Neither water baptism nor joining the church will procure remission of sin. But "believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved." Venture now, fall at the Saviour's feet. "Lord save me or I perish," and lift your heart in praise for his amazing grace.

J. R. BROWNE.

There once was a maiden young and gay,
She'd laugh and sing the whole long day,
For I am so happy and well, said she,
Now that I take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. G. M. Ramsey.

Dr. Saffers left this morning for Chicago where he will attend C. N. Haskell's Post Graduate School of Dentistry.

Notice.

The party who took the five yards of silk from our store this morning will return it or send us \$7.50. No name will be given or questions asked. COX-GREER-McDONALD CO.

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From Roff Local, Attention.

Jan. 14, 1908.—Have just heard from O. W. Taylor, county secretary. He reports every thing favorable at Roff. Good attendance at both local and district meetings. Election of officers of Roff local resulted as follows: W. H. Houser, president; O. W. Taylor, vice president; W. E. Walker, secretary treasurer.

Election of district officers. O. W. Taylor, president; J. R. Fletcher, vice president; W. E. Walker, secretary treasurer.

Don't forget the county meeting Thursday before the first Saturday in April. Locals please take notice.

Just think of the cold weather and come at once to the Grand Leader for a good overcoat for \$4.90; a good heavy cloak for \$5.98; blankets, 89c; ladies' underwear for 19c each. Everything in the house reduced in price during our Original Clearing Sale. **GRAND LEADER.**

Organ Benefit.

Circle No. 4 of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Christian church will receive and serve refreshments to the members and friends of the society at the home of Mrs. R. D. Allen from three to five Wednesday afternoon (Jan. 15, 1908) Object of the occasion is a benefit for the organ fund. Refreshments ten cents. All welcome.

Phone us. We will call for your job printing order.

SHADE TREES.

The reason for planting Shade Trees is here and you should beautify your property by planting. Call on or write **CHARLES RAY,** East 15th St. Ada, Okla.

Robt. Walker of Midland was in the city today.

Col. Date Crawford is here from Stonewall transacting legal business.

Orel Harper of Allen was a visitor in Ada today.

W. J. Carter and family are here today.

S. J. Smith of Oakman was in town today.

C. G. Whiteside is transacting business in Hope, Ark.

E. T. Pendleton of near Knox was here today.

Those who desire the Monthly Pictorial Review magazine may procure a two year's subscription for the small sum of \$1.50 and get two patterns. Grand Leader.

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ONCE TRACK WALKER, NOW GREAT LAWYER

The Career of Martin W. Littleton

Selected as Leading Counsel for Harry K. Thaw, It Is Predicted That District Attorney Jerome Will Find in Him a Worthy Opponent at Coming Trial.

New York.—It was back in 1888 when the following dialogue took place between the foreman of a little railroad down in Texas and a rosy cheeked, smiling young trackwalker whose good nature and ready tongue had earned him a reputation extending clear across a Texas township.

"You're a pretty bright young man," said the foreman. "I suppose some day you expect to be the conductor of a freight train, don't you?"

"No, sir," replied the trackwalker, "I never expect to be that."

"You don't? You ought to aspire to something like that. What do you hope to be?"

"I expect to be a big lawyer in New York city."

After the foreman had recovered from his laughter he said:

"Pretty far cry from trackwalker to a metropolitan lawyer, isn't it?"

"Yes, sir, but no farther than from rail splitter to president."

Martin W. Littleton was the rosy-cheeked trackwalker. A few years later when the whole country was ringing with his speech at the St. Louis national convention in which he nominated Alton B. Parker for the presidency, Mr. Littleton went back to his old corner of Texas, and met the railroad foreman who had sketched out for him the brilliant future of a freight conductor.

Part of Ambition Realized.

"Well, Martin," said the foreman, "you've changed some since I was your boss, ain't you?"

"I'm older."

"And you're a big New York lawyer, too, ain't you?"

"Well, I don't know about the 'big,' but I'm a New York lawyer, anyhow."

It probably caused some talk down in Texas, when it was learned that

that Littleton went to Weatherford. He was born in a log cabin in Roane county, in the eastern part of Tennessee, 35 years ago last January, and when just a youngster was taken by his father to Weatherford. After a stay of a few years there the elder Littleton decided to move back to Tennessee, but the son, then under 16 years of age, declined to accompany him. He preferred Texas. Even at that tender age he had begun to dream of a life in New York city. The idea of studying law hadn't occurred to him, but he was determined to get in the "midst of things" and to make his way at something.

Worked and Studied Law.

Dependent on his own efforts after his father moved back to Tennessee he did odd jobs about Weatherford for a time and then, for want of something to do, obtained a job as trackwalker. It wasn't the sort of work he preferred, but he wasn't particular and he stuck to it for several months. It was during this servitude that ambition to become a lawyer seized him. His ready wit and his ability to say things better than the other men on the road caused some of his associates to suggest the law to him.

By way of shortening his path somewhat to his chosen field he left the railroad and got a job as "devil" in the office of the Park County News, which was published in Weatherford. He didn't like ink and pressroom etiquette, so after a short term here he got a job as baker's helper. Mixing dough and reading law didn't prove as delightful a combination as he had hoped and he resumed his old job of trackwalker because it gave him plenty of time to study nights and to think about his studies during the daytime.

practice he hung out his shingle in Weatherford, and forthwith he began to win cases in the local courts. The suavity of manner that distinguished him proved to be one of his chief assets, and the quick wit which gives him advantage over his opponents at the present time aided him then in defeating his older adversaries. Two years in Weatherford put him at the head of the profession there, despite the fact that he was still a beardless youth who had cast but one vote.

Bright Career in Dallas.

Dallas was the scene of his next endeavors. He was unheralded, but it was only a short time before he became recognized as a lawyer of ability and boundless ambition. In two years he became assistant district attorney, and in that capacity he made a reputation as a prosecutor which extended pretty well all over Texas. His grasp of criminal law was described as remarkable and his handling of a jury was said to be little short of marvelous. There was just enough of the old southern fire in his oratory to make juries bow before him.

During his career in Dallas he was constantly fondling his ambition to come to New York. He had never been east of the Texas line since his father had moved over from Tennessee, and he had never met more than a half dozen men from the metropolis. But he had read of it and dreamed of it and he was determined to make a clean jump across the continent as soon as he could scrape together enough money to pay the expenses of himself and—of Mrs. Littleton.

Winning a Wife.

There wasn't any Mrs. Littleton at that time, but he was determined there should be. It has been said that the greatest oratorical effort of his life was that put forth when he induced his wife to marry him, give up her luxurious home in Texas, and come to New York with him. He had made a splendid success as a lawyer, but had little money; he had no friends in New York, and not even a suggestion that he might obtain work. Mr. and Mrs. Littleton, nevertheless, bade good-bye to Dallas in 1896 and a short time later arrived in the city, which the youthful bridegroom—he was then but 24 years old—had dreamed of conquering.

The young lawyer, despite his Texas laurels, did not make the strides here he had made in the southwest, but he was neither surprised nor disappointed. He sought work in the offices of various lawyers and finally obtained a position with the firm of Peck & Field. Later he found a place with Sheehan & Collins. Still later he became attorney for the Brooklyn Heights Railway company, and it was while there that his star began to rise. He attracted attention in the

in fact, which led to his selection as the man to nominate Alton B. Parker for the presidency at the St. Louis convention of 1904. William F. Sheehan heard his Academy of Music speech, and in looking for some one to make the supreme effort at the St. Louis convention he suggested Littleton.

Studied Address Carefully.

It is not necessary to recall the sensation caused by Mr. Littleton's speech in St. Louis, but it is interesting to recall the preparation made for the address. Unlike most orators, Mr. Littleton does not profess to be an impromptu speaker. He can make an impromptu speech, but he never does so if he can help it. He prepares his sentences with great care and then commits them to memory. In fact, he does not have to put forth any effort to memorize them. When he has written a speech he has learned it. He can repeat it with practically no variation.

He prepared his St. Louis speech weeks ahead of time. He rehearsed it at home, and when he needed a larger place in which to train his voice he went out to the cathedral in Garden City and practised for hours. After he reached St. Louis he went to the convention hall one Sunday afternoon, and in the presence of two or three of his friends went through the speech two or three times to get the proper pitch for his voice. His oration created a sensation and put him instantly in the front rank of American orators.

Never a Seeker for Office.

Although possessing the attributes of a successful politician and having political ambitions, Mr. Littleton has not been a seeker for office. He was permanent chairman of the Democratic state convention in 1902 and was borough president of Brooklyn in 1904 and 1905. He was urged to accept a renomination for borough president, but he declined. He had two reasons for doing so. One was that he wanted to leave the office before he had been criticised; the other was that he was, as he publicly expressed it at the time, "unable to make both ends meet."

He retired from public life to build up a law practice, and he has been busily engaged in doing so ever since. He left Brooklyn a couple of years ago and set up in Manhattan, and he has been prominently before the public since in his legal capacity. In the matter of earnings he is said to rank with the leading lawyers of the city.

Not yet 36 years of age, he may truthfully be said to have a glowing future, and his close friends intimate that it will not be alone in the field of law. After he has accumulated a comfortable fortune it is said he may seek again to re-enter public life.

Younger by many years than any

MAY BE NEW BRITISH AMBASSADOR



SIR HENRY HOWARD.

If the calling home to London of James Bryce means that his term as British ambassador to the United States has ended, as it is believed it does, he probably will be succeeded by Sir Henry Howard, for the last eleven years British envoy to the Netherlands. Sir Henry has been in the diplomatic service since 1865. He is married to an American woman—Cecilia, daughter of the late George W. Riggs of Washington.

MADE FIRE ON FROZEN LAKE. LAST DROP IN MISERY'S CUP.

Phenomenon Not So Great When Explanation Was Made.

"Cold? Then we'll set fire to some ice and warm ourselves." The speaker made, with the heel of his skate, a hole in the ice. He applied a match to the hole. The ice blazed up instantly with a hot, bright flame.

"Oh, how good it feels," said the young girl. She removed her gloves to warm her slim hands the better. "But isn't it rather odd," she said, "to warm one's hands at a fire of ice?"

"You are a stranger to Atchison," said the young Kansan, "or you wouldn't find it odd. We are used to it here. Always, when we skate on Lake Doniphan, we set the ice afire if we are cold."

She watched her own little fire. "What is the explanation of this miracle?" she said.

"A very simple one," said the young man. "This lake is full of natural gas. When it freezes over, gas in the form of bubbles impregnates the ice. You have only to burst open a bubble and put a match to it, and up shoots a magical flame."

"Wonderful!" said the young girl.

Ungallant Remark of Youth Completed Woman's Day of Woe.

The woman who had shopped until the closing gong had sounded stood at the transfer station and awaited the suburban trolley.

"What," she wearily asked herself, "does it profit a woman if she does gain the elusive bargain and loses every trace of physical freshness?"

Presently the car came along. It had the usual fringe of humanity strung along the running-board, and the woman resignedly prepared to stand between the seats, when a grimy youth rose and tendered her his place. Protestingly, she sank into it guiltily and registered a vow never to shop overtime again.

In due time several seats were vacated, and the woman looked hopefully toward her knight.

"Jimmy," a friend of his was saying, "there's room inside now. Why don't you sit down?"

And the last drop of discomfort was added to the woman's cup of humiliation when Jimmy responded:

"Aw, what's the use? No sooner 'I'll get me legs stretched when another

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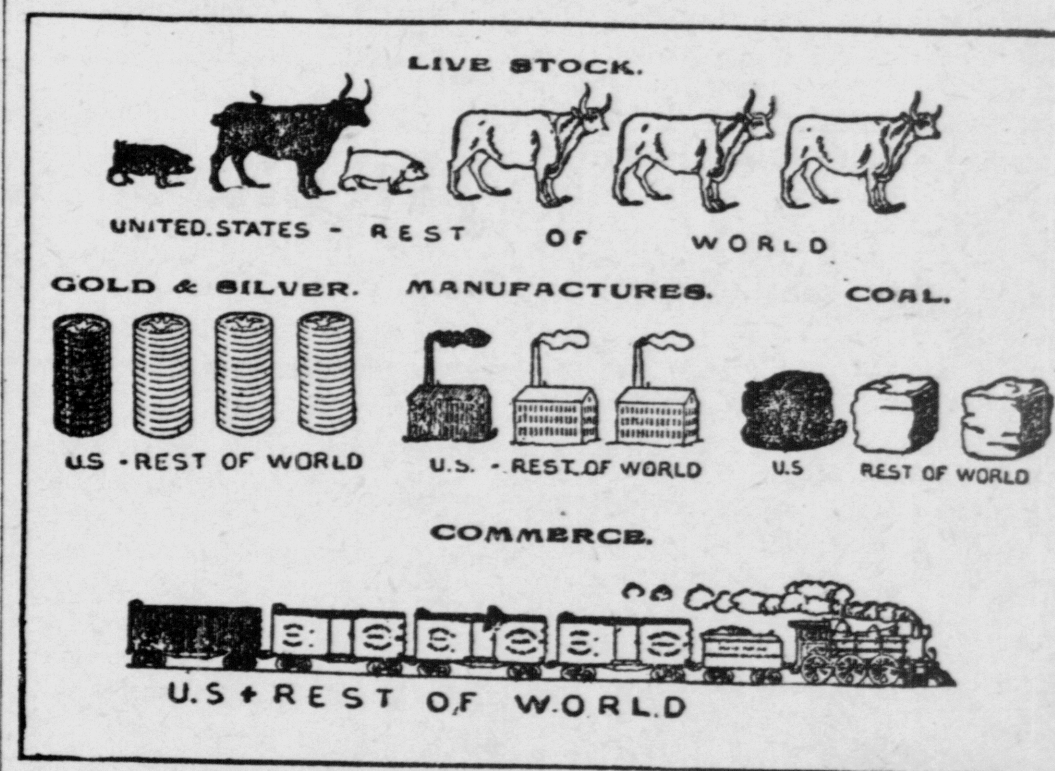


Diagram Showing How the United States is Favored Above Other Countries of the World.

"What a fine thing it would be if the ice of all skating ponds could be impregnated in this way with gas. Then skaters would never need be cold."

Reduced Size.

After a concert at Manchester, England, Joachim, the great violinist, whose death occurred recently, was at the railway station, waiting for a train.

A respectable-looking man, apparently a navy in his best clothes, paced at his side a while, watching him with close interest. Finally he asked for a light, and got it. As he drew at his pipe to get it started, he looked Joachim full in the face. Then, just as he was about to go on, he tapped the violinist's chest impressively.

"But Paganini was the man," said he.

Joachim used to say, declares the narrator of this story, that he never felt so small in his life. Whole pages of learned musical criticism had never begun to whittle him down so fine.—Youth's Companion.

The Contented Tramp.

Steinlen, the Parisian humorist, has given us a picture of an ancient tramp, with hair and beard as white as wool, who sits in a patch of uncultivated land on the outskirts of the city at the end of a long suburban thoroughfare, a street that was once a road, perhaps Content, if not happiness, is the old tramp's present share in the world's temporalities. "Un sou de pain," he soliloquizes, "et deux sous de tabac, la terre peut continuer a tourner."—London Outlook.

Against Wine Sellers.
No wine may hereafter be sold in Spain on Sundays, and the inns must be closed on weekdays at midnight.



WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME

"Mart" Littleton had been selected as chief counsel for Harry K. Thaw. It caused some in New York. While he has been recognized for several years as an able trial lawyer, he has not been prominently identified with the criminal branch of his profession, although he has been many times advised that he could become supreme in that field if he would enter it.

His success since he left his old home in Texas has been almost phenomenal, and it has been due largely to these things—determination, affability of manner, a gift of oratory and conciseness of expression. There are few men in New York who can excel him in making a plea before a jury; there are fewer who can make a more pleasing after-dinner speech; there are few who can equal him in clearly stating a complex proposition; there is none who can excel him in dealing a telling verbal blow at an opportune time. And, added to it all, he is a thorough student of the law. He is an expert at cross-examination, and a fighter for what he thinks is right, and he has a forceful way with a jury.

Became Famed as Orator.

Back in his boyhood days in Texas he was known as an orator and storyteller. He could recite all the old fifth reader masterpieces with a fire that stirred the "boys" in the village store, and a short time later, when he was active in politics but not old enough to vote, he could rouse the old timers down in Weatherford to bursts of applause with his oratorical efforts.

It was due to no choice of his own

While he was using up tallow candles in his attacks upon Blackstone he realized that it might be helpful to him if he had a short term of schooling in the rudiments. He had never been inside a schoolhouse, although he had received some instruction at home and had picked up a good bit of information on general topics. To carry out his plan he went to Springtown, and there for eight months he did chores and farm work and studied with an old German who numbered among his pupils the children of most of the aristocrats of Parker county.

Entered Attorney's Office.

In the eight months Littleton learned as much as he felt was necessary for the time being. He could do fractions as well as any one; he could parse everything that could be parsed; he could write as fast and as plain as any boy in the county, and he could recite better than any actor who had ever struck Weatherford or any place in that part of Texas. He knew the history of the United States like a book, and he had a pretty good idea of the history of other nations, which in his youthful opinion didn't amount to much anyhow.

Thus equipped, he entered the office of the district attorney of Weatherford county as a clerk and law student. As expressed by a man who knew him in those days, "he fairly ate the law books." He swept through them with lightning speed, and in 1891, at the age of 19, he was admitted to the bar. He was then one of the leading young citizens of the county seat. As soon as he was admitted to

trial courts and was regarded as a "comer" in criminal law.

Involved in "Big" Cases.

In 1899 he was made an assistant district attorney of Kings county, and while serving in that capacity he had charge of some of the most notable cases in the borough across the bridge. He prosecuted "Five Hundred and Twenty Per Cent" Miller and was chief prosecutor in many other prominent cases. And during all this time he was gradually earning a reputation as an orator and after-dinner speaker. He attracted particular attention because he was of a different school from his competitors. He brought east with him a southern charm of manner that invariably made friends for him.

His real debut as an orator came during the campaign of 1900, in the old Academy of Music, in Brooklyn. Known as a man who could make a fair speech, he was put down on the programme as one of the tailenders. Three Democrats of national prominence were scheduled for the chief addresses, and David B. Hill was heralded as the principal attraction. When his turn came Mr. Littleton—then a man of but 28 years—created a sensation from the start. It is no exaggeration to say that he really electrified the audience. His speech was short, clear and to the point, and his eloquence stirred the crowd to storms of applause. Instead of leaving the hall everyone stayed and still others jammed their way in.

Littleton became known outside of Brooklyn after that. It was that effort,

other lawyer who has in recent years been in full charge of a case so important as the Thaw trial, Mr. Littleton will be eagerly watched during his conduct of that trial. His friends say that his experience as a prosecuting attorney in Texas and in Brooklyn will greatly aid him in his fight, and they predict that the pitting of his ability against the cool, unerring methods of District Attorney Jerome will furnish one of the most interesting contests of its kind seen in New York in many years.

It's Chief Use.

"These," said the inventor proudly, "are photographs of the finest aeroplane the world has yet seen."

We studied the remarkable-looking object.

"And how is it supposed to work?" we asked.

"Oh," he rejoined, "it isn't supposed to work at all; but you can see what splendid newspaper and magazine articles it will make."

Mrs. Evans' Claim.

Mrs. Evans, of Richmond-on-Thames, England, claims she is the only woman entitled to wear the Alma, Balacaya, and Inkerman medals, permission having been granted on the death of her husband, whom she accompanied through the Crimea. She was often under fire.

Discovered Prehistoric Ruin.

In Spruce Canyon, near Cliff Palace, Colorado, Prof. E. L. Hewitt has discovered a prehistoric ruin six stories high, one of the finest examples of the cliff dwelling ever found.



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There is No Time Like the Right Time To Do Anything

Prevailing prices at our store on our entire stock of winter merchandise are such as to make this the time for you to get busy.
Big reductions on all shoes and our stock is in such good condition that you will have no trouble in finding shoes to suit you.
Better come today and let us fit you.

Still Selling Clothing
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HAWES HATS

CLAPP SHOES

Summary of the News.

Gov. Haskell and party leave Guthrie to visit Kansas City and Lincoln, Neb.

Democratic club of Mattman Ill., indorses Bryan for president and Gov. Haskell of Oklahoma for vice president.

Army canteen association active in its efforts to secure its restoration.

Secretary Taft has promised to end Cuban occupation next spring if possible.

Union station annex at Kansas City burned with an estimated loss of \$250,000.

Increase of the width of the Panama Canal from 100 to 110 feet recommended by Secretary Taft.

U. C. V. Commander in Chief Lee opposed to proposed "blue and gray" reunion.

Application of former Mayor Schmitz of San Francisco for bail refused.

Assistant secretary of the security Oil Company of Texas a witness at the hearing of the government's suit for dissolution of the Standard.

Thaw trial moves with rush; opening plea of Counsel Littleton for the defense contains many surprises.

Supreme court upholds the Kansas anti-liquor law.

Aldrich promises Cortelyou's reply to Culberson's resolution regarding recent bond issue will be presented to the Senate Wednesday; democrats expect disclosure will compel investigation.

tion a recent treasury transactions. New York Stock Exchange firm of Robert Macley & Co. suspends with obligations of \$1,500,000.

House debate on penal code bill brings out vigorous defense of state rights by democrats; their amendment defeated, the votes being all on party lines.

Nearly 100 lives lost in fire in opera house at Boyertown, Pa.; many jumped from windows and scores of women and children are trampled upon in mad rush for safety.

Retired German army officer asserts mobilization of the United States Army under present conditions would produce a very poor result.

New Year's ukase of Russian Emperor appoints a new Minister of Education to succeed M. von Kaufman of Liberal tendencies.

Great gold mining camp at El Oro, Mex., burning; principal hotels and business buildings in ashes and whole town threatened.

WOULD ERECT PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Fulton Introduces Bills for Five Cities of New State.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 13.—Mr. Fulton introduced bills today calling for the erection of public buildings at El Reno, Woodward, Anadarko, Oklahoma City and Alva.

BILLS DEFINE TRUSTS 100 DIE IN FRAMES

LEGAL DESCRIPTION INCLUDED
MEASURE INTRODUCED BY
OKLAHOMA SENATORS.

ONE COPIES CALIFORNIA LAW

Headline of McAlester Uses Provision
Incorporated on Statute Books of
Gold State—Provides Penalty.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 13.—Trusts and monopolies, and what shall constitute them in Oklahoma, are amply defined in two bills introduced by Senators Redwine of McAlester and Davis of Bristol. Senator Redwine took his bill from the laws of California and Texas. The definition is determining what are combinations in restraint of trade. He improves upon the Texas law by providing that the state shall have a receiver appointed at any time the act is violated by any person firm or corporation in restraint of trade. The punishment is greater than provided in California in that the convicted shall be fined from \$50 to \$5,000 and confined in the penitentiary from six months to two years.

Senator Davis takes his definition from the Sherman anti-trust law, which in a legal way has been held to serve the general purposes. Under the Davis bill a \$29,000,000 fine could not be assessed. If a conviction is made the penalty is from two to ten years in the penitentiary. Such penalty shall be imposed if any person shall enter an agreement or understanding to form a conspiracy in restraint of trade or commerce, or shall be a party to it, or who shall attempt to make such agreement. Any agent, employee, officer, director or stockholder who carries out the orders to violate the terms of the act in restraint of trade is likewise guilty and may receive the prison sentence. Included in this section is an inhibition, under a criminal penalty, against the sale of commodities at less than cost or given away for the purpose of driving out competition or the giving of rebates.

Any concern outside of the state which aids or abets in the formation of a trust or monopoly for an agent of a combination to carry out the orders of a concern in restraint of trade without incurring the penitentiary sentence.

The Davis bill also covers the making of false affidavits for the purpose of getting license, the same being made perjury.

TO WIDEN CANAL LOCKS.

Taft Writes President Recommending Same.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 13.—Secretary Taft has written a letter to the president, recommending an increase of the width of the Panama canal locks from one hundred feet as at present planned, to one hundred and ten feet, the change will cost about five million dollars addition but meets naval views as to the likelihood of larger battleships in the future.

DIRECT ELECTION COMMISSION.

Will Urge Appointment of Similar Bodies in Other States and Hold Convention.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 13.—Gov. Haskell has named the following as the senatorial direct election commission of Oklahoma, as provided for under the resolution of Senator Franklin of Madrid: William H. Murray of Tishomingo, Speaker of the Oklahoma house; Thomas H. Doyle of Perry, George H. Evans, editor of the Chickasha Daily Express, and Jesse J. Dunn of Alva, member of the state supreme court, all democrats.

The republican members of the commission are Clarence B. Douglass, editor of the Muskogee Phoenix; Dr. John Threadgill of Oklahoma City, formerly of Taylor, Tex.; T. B. Ferguson, editor of the Watonga Herald and Ex-Governor of Oklahoma Territory, and D. L. Sleeper of Tulsa, former Speaker of the Ohio House of representatives.

The commission is directed by the resolution to urge the appointment of similar commissions in other states for the purpose of securing a convention of states looking to the election of senators by direct vote of the people. The scheme is commonly referred to as the "Oklahoma Plan."

AWFUL HOLOCAUST IN OPERA
HOUSE FIRE AT BOYERTOWN, PA.

G.S. TANK EXPLODES

Women and Children Trampled Upon
in Mad Rush Many Jump from
Windows.

Boyerstown, Pa., Jan. 13.—A catastrophe horrifying in its details and sickening in its results tonight swept nearly one hundred souls of this borough into eternity in almost the twinkling of an eye and injured nearly a three score, many of them fatally. A majority of the dead were members of the leading families of the town.

While the "Scottish Reformation" was being produced in Rhoads' Opera house by Mrs. Monroe of Washington a tank used in a moving picture scene exploded. Immediately there was a wild rush for the exits of the building. Men of mature years endeavored to still the panic, but their voices could not be heard above the shrieks and screams of the terrified women and children who composed the greater part of the audience.

The scenes can not be portrayed fully by the most imaginative. The blood curdling cries for help of those who were penned in within the walls of the blazing structure could be heard above the roaring, seething flames. It seemed as though nearly the entire audience made a mad rush for the exits the moment the explosion occurred.

In their attempt to quiet the crowd, those persons who were on the stage accidentally upset the coal oil lamps used as the footlights. The burning oil scattered in all directions and the lamps which were used to light the opera house exploded, throwing the blazing oil over the terror-stricken people who were fighting frantically to gain the exits.

In the mad rush, a section of the floor gave away, precipitating scores of persons to the basement. As the floor collapsed, the shrieks of the helpless persons who were carried down were heard for blocks.

COUNTY COURT.

Criminal Docket Light in First Term of County Court.

The following is the setting of the docket for the January term of the county court. Said term extends from the first Monday in January to the first Monday in March, 1908.

Monday, Feb. 3—Criminal Docket.
6 State of Oklahoma vs. Lloyd Robinson, liquor.
12 State of Oklahoma vs. John Blocker, liquor.
8 State of Oklahoma vs. Joe Belt, liquor.
13 State of Oklahoma vs. John Frazier resisting an officer.
Tuesday, Feb. 4.
19 State of Oklahoma vs. Ollie Lan-

NOTICE !!

It has long been the custom of business men to commence the new year with a new set of books.

We wish to announce that our stock of

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DAY BOOKS,
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is complete. We have both single and double entry ledgers, from 100 to 600 pages.

We also carry complete stock of

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Just received our new spring Dress Gingham, the prettiest patterns we have ever had. We take pleasure in showing these gingham. We have over 100 bolts for you to select from

A FEW OF THIS WEEK'S CLEAN-UPS

25 Boys Suits, ages 3 to 6, cheap at \$2, go at \$1.25	26 Boys Overcoats, ages 4 to 11, worth up to \$2, at \$1.25
18 Boys Suits, 4 to 6, worth \$2.50, go at \$1.50	Don't fail to see our 10c table. A few of its contents:
22 Boys Suits, 4 to 12, worth \$1.50 and \$1.25, go at 75	Large granite wash pail.
62 Pcs. Men's Pants, worth up to \$2, clean-up price \$1.25	Granite stew kettle.
Don't forget, we never carry goods from one season to another. See what we are showing in wool shirts, per pair \$1.75	Granite mixing bowls.
14 Boys Suits, worth up to \$2.50, ages 12 to 16 go at \$1.25	12 quart tin dish pan.
	10 quart tin dairy pail.
	Large bottle talcum powder.
	12 large glass bowls.
	8 Boxes Search Light matches.
	4 Nest Eggs.
	50-Foot clothes line.

Come in and let us show you our every day bargains. Remember at all times we guarantee our prices to be lower on the same goods.

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At the head of the Financial Institutions of the city stands the Ada National Bank. Over seven years under one management. The accounts and other affairs of customers are kept strictly private. Small accounts receive same attention as larger ones. Merchants and farmers will find it to their interest to open an account now with

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caster, liquor.
Tuesday, Feb. 4—Civil Docket.
1 S. C. Burns vs. O. C. Ry Co et al.
2 Stern-Lauer & Co. vs. O. P. Harrison.
3 Williamson-Halsell-Frazier Co. vs. Jesse Hayes et al.
Wednesday, Feb. 5.
4 R. H. Fuller vs. Commercial Assurance Co.
5 Same vs. German American Ins Co.
6 R. F. King vs. W. W. Edwards.
7 J. R. Lawrence vs. F. R. Harris et al.
8 Williamson-Halsell-Frazier Co. vs. L. C. Mason et al.
9 J. R. Roach vs. St. Louis & San Francisco Ry. Co. et al.
Thursday, Feb. 6.
10 W. T. Kidwell vs. R. H. Fuller.
11 Gus Westmoreland vs. O. W. Hicks.
12 First National Bank of Stoneham vs. W. P. Rafferty et al.
13 Bruno Mayer vs. W. D. Herodas.
14 T. A. Starratt vs. Lee Caboon et al.

GOVERNOR HASKELL DEPARTS

Is Scheduled to Deliver Addresses in Kansas City and Lincoln.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 13.—Gov. Haskell and party left tonight for Kansas City and Lincoln, Neb. Gov. Haskell will deliver speeches at both places. Lieut. Gov. Bellamy, inspecting the office of governor during the former's absence, will leave Senator Henry B. Johnson presiding officer of the state senate.

AT COST

We are selling the celebrated

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and clear cut crystals in Spectacles and Eye Glasses at cost.

\$3.50 Glasses at	\$1.75
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We are going to close out our entire stock at cost. Come early.

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YOUR FIRST DEPOSIT

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B. C. Berry will dye for you.

S. Herd returned to Tishomingo this morning.

All work done by me is guaranteed to be the best. . . . B. C. BERRY.

U. G. Winn is transacting business at Stonewall today.

Will deliver prescriptions and medicines. J. E. JONES DRUG CO.

Mrs. F. M. Masseangale returned from Asher this morning.

Don't pass up my line of bookkeeping outfits, if they did arrive late. DR. HOLLEY.

J. B. Ingram went to Sasakwa today.

Clothing half price in our big clearance sale. COX-GREER-McDONALD CO.

Mrs. A. Fulton left this morning for a few days visit at Sherman.

Invoice ledgers, cash books, day books and journals, just arrived at Holley's Drug Store.

W. H. L. Campbell came in this morning from Guthrie.

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Mrs. N. Y. Hollifield returned from Konawa this morning.

Jones! He pays the freight. Delivers all drugs and prescriptions. Phone 10.

J. C. Cates went to Stonewall this morning.

Don't pass up my line of bookkeeping outfits, if they did arrive late. Dr. HOLLEY.

J. L. Spruce went to Stonewall this morning.

The most popular young lady in the county will secure a \$500 piano, given by The News.

A. L. Beck went to Oklahoma City Monday.

FOR SALE—One good milch cow, calf about two weeks old. Joe Rushing, Ada, Okla. 3rd

Rev. J. B. McDonald of Vinita, is here today mingling with friends.

Subscribe for the Daily News. Why! Because it gives the news while it is news; not history.

Rev. C. M. Coppes spent Monday night with Ada friends.

Bring in your boy and let us fit him with a good suit and overcoat while you can both for the price of one. COX-GREER-McDONALD CO.

Miss Maudena White is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Tally in Sunrise.

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Mrs. Robert Wimbish and Children went to Stonewall this morning on a short visit.

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Mrs. Graves came in Monday from Houston, Tex., to make Ada her future home.

We will make it to your advantage. P. B. WILSON LUMBER CO. to figure with us on your bill. J. HENRY COLLINS, Manager.

Mrs. Will Moon who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. H. J. Slack returned to her home at Caddo this morning.

Hon. Claude Stringer, prominent attorney from Oklahoma City, and an old boyhood friend and schoolmate of the News editor, is in the city today.

Mrs. J. Phillips, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. D. Reed returned to her home at New Orleans this morning.

Half price on Clothing means something, especially at our store because it is an established fact that we carry the best in town. COX-GREER-McDONALD CO.

Mrs. Meadows, state organizer of the Woodmen Circle was here last night and installed officers of the Circle. She left this morning for Muskogee.

Forty-Six Organized.
Supt. Pierce of Pontotoc county schools has up to date organized forty-six of the 54 which have been laid out. He says that since state superintendent, Cameron, has extended the time limit, 30 days for organizing purposes, he will have the total number in a thorough organized shape in due time to procure the county's pro rata share of the state fund. About 7000 children of school age have been reported to date.

Oxaline.
Absence makes the heart grow fonder. Peroxide makes the blood more bloodier. Oxaline makes the grass grow larger. Spread it on!

Court News.
The case of J. W. Davis vs. the M. K. and T. railroad was concluded this morning. Davis recovered \$325. The case of T. B. McKeown vs. J. C. Meadors was up throughout the afternoon. It is reported that the grand jury will make a report this afternoon. Marriage license were issued in favor of O. L. Unsell and Bessie Hathaway of York.

Fifteen Applicants.
H. C. Cusey, representing the U. S. Indian agency concluded two days' labors today in the hearing of applications for the removal of restrictions. At 3 p. m. fifteen applicants had been heard and their petitions heard. He is accompanied by his secretary, Oliver K. Chandler. Their next stop will be at Bartlesville.

Sunday at the Presbyterian Church. (Continued.)

Now I ask can James contradict Paul and Moses, patriarchs and prophets, Jesus Christ and apostles? Surely not. What do they say with regard to the justification of sinners? Gen. 15:6. "And he believed to the Lord, and he counted it to him for righteousness." This is what Moses says about the justification of Abraham and this was long before Isaac was born. Hence the condition of justification is fully revealed in Gen. Paul, what do you say about it? Gal. 3:6-9. Here the apostle reasons from Abraham's justification, proving that both Jews and heathens are justified, saved by faith only. The justification of Abraham is the manner, the method, the pattern of the justification of sinners in all ages. If he were justified by works, so are they; but if the condition of his justification was faith without works, then the condition of their justification is the same. Rom. 4:1-5. Here the apostle shows, first and quotes Gen. 15:6 that Abraham was justified by faith only. Second, then the general application is made "to him (whosoever) that worketh not, but believeth on him that justifieth the ungodly, his faith (not works) is counted for righteousness." Rom. 4:20-24. Here the Scriptures prove Abraham was strong in faith, giving glory to God, more than 20 years before Isaac was born. The period between the justification of Abraham by faith and his justification by works when he offered Isaac was at least 35 years. If it takes 35 years to save one man, then it takes 35 years to save all men, for all are saved just like Abraham. See Rom. 4:20-24. These scriptures declare that Abraham's faith was counted for righteousness, and not his works. Then it is certain that faith was the only condition of his pardon. It is also certain that he was saved by faith long before Isaac was born. This testimony entirely excludes the notion that any act of obedience in the way of works, was connected with his justification in the sense of pardon. A more illustrious example of faith is not to be found in the sacred Book. In Rom. and Gal. chapters 1 and 2, from which these quotations are made, the apostle is discussing the subject of justification, or pardon; and faith is presented as the only condition of pardon. Acts 10:43. Faith in Jesus Christ was the condition of pardon proclaimed by all the prophets to all the Jews through all the past. The same condition of pardon is now proclaimed to the Gentiles for all the future. Rom. 1:16-17. Here we have one Jesus Christ and one gospel to all men—Jews and Gentiles. God has never instituted but one law of pardon. That law embraces all ages and is the same to each individual member of our race. The righteousness of God in that gospel is revealed from faith to faith, and not from faith to works, hence the two dispensations in the remedial scheme show that God never had but one method of justifying the ungodly, and that by faith in Jesus Christ. "It pleased God by the foolishness of preaching to save them that believe."

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She'd laugh and sing the whole long day.
For I am so happy and well, said she,
Now that I take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. G. M. Ramsey.

Dr. Satterans left this morning for Chicago where he will attend C. N. Haskell's Post Graduate School of Dentistry.

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CRYSTAL ICE AND COAL OIL.

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the only condition. Luke 7:50. "Woman, thy faith hath saved thee, go in peace." 1 Pet. 1:9. "Receiving the end of your faith (what is that) even the salvation of your soul." A man's honest opinion is no where made a standard of justification.

The believer is not condemned. John 3:18. The believer has peace with God. Rom. 5:1. The believer is a child of God. Gal. 3:26. If a child then an heir of God and a joint heir with Christ. Rom. 8:17. The believer has the righteousness of God. Rom. 3:22. The believer has everlasting life. John 5:24. Neither water baptism nor joining the church will procure remission of sin. But "believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved." Venture now, fall at the Saviour's feet. "Lord save me or I perish," and lift your heart in praise for his amazing grace.
J. R. BROWNE.

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From Hoff Local, Attention.

Jan. 14, 1908.—Have just heard from O. W. Taylor, county secretary. He reports every thing favorable at Hoff. Good attendance at both local and district meetings. Election of officers of Hoff local resulted as follows: W. H. Houser, president; O. W. Taylor, vice president; W. E. Walker, secretary treasurer.

Election of district officers. O. W. Taylor, president; J. R. Fletcher, vice president; W. E. Walker, secretary treasurer.

Don't forget the county meeting Thursday before the first Saturday in April. Locals please take notice.

Just think of the cold weather and come at once to the Grand Leader for a good overcoat for \$4.90; a good heavy cloak for \$5.98; blankets, 89c; ladies' underwear for 19c each. Everything in the house reduced in price during our Original Clearing Sale. **GRAND LEADER.**

Organ Benefit.

Circle No. 4 of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Christian church will receive and serve refreshments to the members and friends of the society at the home of Mrs. R. D. Allen from three to five Wednesday afternoon (Jan. 15, 1908). Object of the occasion is a benefit for the organ fund. Refreshments ten cents. All welcome.

Phone us. We will call for your job printing order.

SHADE TREES.

The season for planting Shade Trees is here and you should beautify your property by planting. Call on or write **CHARLES RAY.** East 15th St., Ada, Okla.

Robt. Walker of Midland was in the city today.

Col. Date Crawford is here from Stonewall transacting legal business.

Orel Harper of Allen was a visitor in Ada today.

W. J. Carter and family are here today.

S. J. Smith of Oakman was in town today.

C. G. Whiteside is transacting business in Hope, Ark.

E. T. Pendleton of near Knox was here today.

Those who desire the Monthly Pictorial Review magazine may procure a two year's subscription for the small sum of \$1.50 and get two patterns. **Grand Leader.**

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In Store Advertising.
One of the wisest of men wrote:

"Suffer any person to tell us his story, morning and evening, for but a twelve-month, AND HE WILL BECOME OUR MASTER!"

In the above sentence we have, in a nutshell, the INNERMOST SECRET OF SUCCESSFUL ADVERTISING—frequency, and persistency, and unvarying continuity in the telling of the story of store or enterprise. There are many other things to be said of successful advertising, but in the above quotation is found the real philosophy, the real secret—**THE HEART OF THE WHOLE MATTER!**

ONCE TRACK WALKER, NOW GREAT LAWYER

The Career of Martin W. Littleton

Selected as Leading Counsel for Harry K. Thaw, It Is Predicted That District Attorney Jerome Will Find in Him a Worthy Opponent at Coming Trial.

New York—It was back in 1898 when the following dialogue took place between the foreman of a little railroad down in Texas and a rosy cheeked, smiling young trackwalker whose good nature and ready tongue had earned him a reputation extending clear across a Texas township.

"You're a pretty bright young man," said the foreman "I suppose some day you expect to be the conductor of a freight train, don't you?"

"No, sir," replied the trackwalker, "I never expect to be that."

"You don't? You ought to aspire to something like that. What do you hope to be?"

"I expect to be a big lawyer in New York city."

After the foreman had recovered from his laughter he said:

"Pretty far cry from trackwalker to a metropolitan lawyer, isn't it?"

"Yes, sir, but no farther than from rail splitter to president."

Martin W. Littleton was the rosy-cheeked trackwalker. A few years later when the whole country was raving with his speech at the St. Louis national convention in which he nominated Alton B. Parker for the presidency, Mr. Littleton went back to his old corner of Texas, and met the railroad foreman who had sketched out for him the brilliant future of a freight conductor.

Part of Ambition Realized.

"Well, Martin," said the foreman, "you've changed some since I was your boss, ain't you?"

"I'm older."

"And you're a big New York lawyer, too, ain't you?"

"Well, I don't know about the 'big,' but I'm a New York lawyer, anyhow."

It probably caused some talk, down in Texas, when it was learned that

that Littleton went to Weatherford. He was born in a log cabin in Roane county, in the eastern part of Tennessee, 35 years ago last January, and when just a youngster was taken by his father to Weatherford. After a stay of a few years there the elder Littleton decided to move back to Tennessee, but the son, then under 16 years of age, declined to accompany him. He preferred Texas. Even at that tender age he had begun to dream of a life in New York city. The idea of studying law hadn't occurred to him, but he was determined to get in the "midst of things" and to make his way at something.

Worked and Studied Law.

Dependent on his own efforts after his father moved back to Tennessee he did odd jobs about Weatherford for a time and then, for want of something to do, obtained a job as trackwalker. It wasn't the sort of work he preferred, but he wasn't particular and he stuck to it for several months. It was during this servitude that ambition to become a lawyer seized him. His ready wit and his ability to say things better than the other men on the road caused some of his associates to suggest the law to him.

By way of shortening his path somewhat to his chosen field he left the railroad and got a job as "devil" in the office of the Park County News, which was published in Weatherford. He didn't like ink and pressroom etiquette, so after a short term here he got a job as baker's helper. Mixing dough and reading law didn't prove as delightful a combination as he had hoped and he resumed his old job of trackwalker because it gave him plenty of time to study nights and to think about his studies during the daytime.

practice he hung out his shingle in Weatherford, and forthwith he began to win cases in the local courts. The suavity of manner that distinguished him proved to be one of his chief assets, and the quick wit which gives him advantage over his opponents at the present time aided him then in defeating his older adversaries. Two years in Weatherford put him at the head of the profession there, despite the fact that he was still a beardless youth who had cast but one vote.

Bright Career in Dallas.

Dallas was the scene of his next endeavors. He was unheralded, but it was only a short time before he became recognized as a lawyer of ability and boundless ambition. In two years he became assistant district attorney, and in that capacity he made a reputation as a prosecutor which extended pretty well all over Texas. His grasp of criminal law was described as remarkable and his handling of a jury was said to be little short of marvelous. There was just enough of the old southern fire in his oratory to make juries bow before him.

During his career in Dallas he was constantly fondling his ambition to come to New York. He had never been east of the Texas line since his father had moved over from Tennessee, and he had never met more than a half dozen men from the metropolis. But he had read of it and dreamed of it and he was determined to make a clean jump across the continent as soon as he could scrape together enough money to pay the expenses of himself and—of Mrs. Littleton.

Winning a Wife.

There wasn't any Mrs. Littleton at that time, but he was determined there should be. It has been said that the greatest oratorical effort of his life was that put forth when he induced his wife to marry him, give up her luxurious home in Texas, and come to New York with him. He had made a splendid success as a lawyer, but had little money; he had no friends in New York, and not even a suggestion that he might obtain work. Mr. and Mrs. Littleton, nevertheless, bade good-bye to Dallas in 1896 and a short time later arrived in the city, which the youthful bridegroom—he was then but 24 years old—had dreamed of conquering.

The young lawyer, despite his Texas laurels, did not make the strides here he had made in the southwest, but he was neither surprised nor disappointed. He sought work in the offices of various lawyers and finally obtained a position with the firm of Peck & Field. Later he found a place with Sheehan & Collins. Still later he became attorney for the Brooklyn Heights Railway company, and it was while there that his star began to rise. He attracted attention in the

fact, which led to his selection as the man to nominate Alton B. Parker for the presidency at the St. Louis convention of 1904. William F. Sheehan heard his Academy of Music speech, and in looking for some one to make the supreme effort at the St. Louis convention he suggested Littleton.

Studied Address Carefully.

It is not necessary to recall the sensation caused by Mr. Littleton's speech in St. Louis, but it is interesting to recall the preparation made for the address. Unlike most orators, Mr. Littleton does not profess to be an impromptu speaker. He can make an impromptu speech, but he never does so if he can help it. He prepares his sentences with great care and then commits them to memory. In fact, he does not have to put forth any effort to memorize them. When he has written a speech he has learned it. He can repeat it with practically no variation.

He prepared his St. Louis speech weeks ahead of time. He rehearsed it at home, and when he needed a larger place in which to train his voice he went out to the cathedral in Garden City and practised for hours. After he reached St. Louis he went to the convention hall one Sunday afternoon, and in the presence of two or three of his friends went through the speech two or three times to get the proper pitch for his voice. His oration created a sensation and put him instantly in the front rank of American orators.

Never a Seeker for Office.

Although possessing the attributes of a successful politician and having political ambitions, Mr. Littleton has not been a seeker for office. He was permanent chairman of the Democratic state convention in 1902 and was borough president of Brooklyn in 1904 and 1905. He was urged to accept a renomination for borough president, but he declined. He had two reasons for doing so. One was that he wanted to leave the office before he had been criticized; the other was that he was, as he publicly expressed it at the time, "unable to make both ends meet."

He retired from public life to build up a law practice, and he has been busily engaged in doing so ever since. He left Brooklyn a couple of years ago and set up in Manhattan, and he has been prominently before the public since in his legal capacity. In the matter of earnings he is said to rank with the leading lawyers of the city.

Not yet 36 years of age, he may truthfully be said to have a glowing future, and his close friends intimate that it will not be alone in the field of law. After he has accumulated a comfortable fortune it is said he may seek again to re-enter public life.

Younger by many years than any



SIR HENRY HOWARD.

If the calling home to London of James Bryce means that his term as British ambassador to the United States has ended, as it is believed it does, he probably will be succeeded by Sir Henry Howard, for the last eleven years British envoy to the Netherlands. Sir Henry has been in the diplomatic service since 1865. He is married to an American woman—Cecilia, daughter of the late George W. Riggs of Washington.

MADE FIRE ON FROZEN LAKE.

Phenomenon Not So Great When Explanation Was Made.

"Cold? Then we'll set fire to some ice and warm ourselves." The speaker made, with the heel of his skate, a hole in the ice. He applied a match to the hole. The ice blazed up instantly with a hot, bright flame.

"Oh, how good it feels," said the young girl. She removed her gloves to warm her slim hands the better. "But isn't it rather odd," she said, "to warm one's hands at a fire of ice?"

"You are a stranger to Atchison," said the young Kansan, "or you wouldn't find it odd. We are used to it here. Always, when we skate on Lake Doniphan, we set the ice afire if we are cold."

She watched her own little fire. "What is the explanation of this miracle?" she said.

"A very simple one," said the young man. "This lake is full of natural gas. When it freezes over, gas in the form of bubbles impregnates the ice. You have only to burst open a bubble and put a match to it, and up shoots a magical flame."

"Wonderful!" said the young girl.

LAST DROP IN MISERY'S CUP.

Ungallant Remark of Youth Completed Woman's Day of Woe.

The woman who had shopped until the closing gong had sounded stood at the transfer station and awaited the suburban trolley.

"What," she wearily asked herself, "does it profit a woman if she does gain the elusive bargain and loses every trace of physical freshness?"

Presently the car came along. It had the usual fringe of humanity strung along the running-board, and the woman resignedly prepared to stand between the seats, when a grimy youth rose and tendered her his place. Protesting faintly, she sank into it guiltily and registered a vow never to shop overtime again.

In due time several seats were vacated, and the woman looked hopefully toward her knight.

"Jimmy," a friend of his was saying, "there's room inside now. Why don't you sit down?"

And the last drop of discomfort was added to the woman's cup of humiliation when Jimmy responded:

"Aw, what's the use? No sooner I'll get me legs stretched when another

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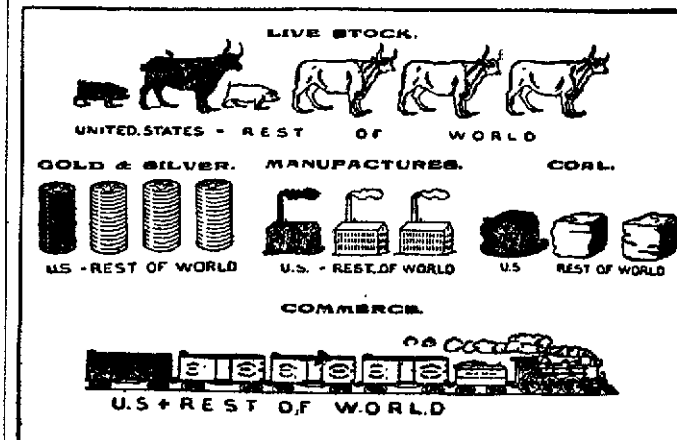


Diagram Showing How the United States is Favored Above Other Countries of the World.

"What a fine thing it would be if the ice of all skating ponds could be impregnated in this way with gas. Then skaters would never need be cold."

Reduced Size.

After a concert at Manchester, England, Joachim, the great violinist, whose death occurred recently, was at the railway station, waiting for a train.

A respectable-looking man, apparently a navy in his best clothes, paced at his side a while, watching him with close interest. Finally he asked for a light, and got it. As he drew at his pipe to get it started, he looked Joachim full in the face. Then, just as he was about to go on, he tapped the violinist's chest impressively.

"But Paganini was the man," said he.

Joachim used to say, declares the narrator of this story, that he never felt so small in his life. Whole pages of learned musical criticism had never begun to whittle him down so fine.—Youth's Companion.

The Contented Tramp.

Steinlen, the Parisian humorist, has given us a picture of an ancient tramp, with hair and beard as white as wool, who sits in a patch of unoccupied land on the outskirts of the city at the end of a long suburban thoroughfare, a street that was once a road, perhaps Content, if not happiness, is the old tramp's present share in the world's temporalities. "Un sou de pain," he soliloquizes, "et deux sous de tabac, la terre peut continuer a tourner."—London Outlook.

Against Wine Sellers.

No wine may hereafter be sold in Spain on Sundays, and the inns must be closed on weekdays at midnight.



WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME

"Mart" Littleton had been selected as chief counsel for Harry K. Thaw. It caused some in New York. While he has been recognized for several years as an able trial lawyer, he has not been prominently identified with the criminal branch of his profession, although he has been many times advised that he could become supreme in that field if he would enter it.

His success since he left his old home in Texas has been almost phenomenal, and it has been due largely to these things—determination, affability of manner, a gift of oratory and conciseness of expression. There are few men in New York who can excel him in making a plea before a jury; there are fewer who can make a more pleasing after-dinner speech; there are few who can equal him in clearly stating a complex proposition; there is none who can excel him in dealing a telling verbal blow at an opportune time. And, added to it all, he is a thorough student of the law. He is an expert at cross-examination, is a fighter for what he thinks is right and he has a forceful way with a jury.

Became Famed as Orator.

Back in his boyhood days in Texas he was known as an orator and storyteller. He could recite all the old fifth reader masterpieces with a fire that stirred the "boys" in the village store, and, a short time later, when he was active in politics but not old enough to vote, he could rouse the old timers down in Weatherford to bursts of applause with his oratorical efforts.

It was due to no choice of his own

While he was using up tallow candles in his attacks upon Blackstone he realized that it might be helpful to him if he had a short term of schooling in the rudiments. He had never been inside a schoolhouse, although he had received some instruction at home and had picked up a good bit of information on general topics. To carry out his plan he went to Springtown, and there for eight months he did chores and farm work and studied with an old German who numbered among his pupils the children of most of the aristocrats of Parker county.

Entered Attorney's Office.

In the eight months Littleton learned as much as he felt was necessary for the time being. He could do fractions as well as any one; he could parse everything that could be parsed; he could write as fast and as plain as any boy in the county; and he could recite better than any actor who had ever struck Weatherford or any place in that part of Texas. He knew the history of the United States like a book, and he had a pretty good idea of the history of other nations, which in his youthful opinion didn't amount to much anyhow.

Thus equipped, he entered the office of the district attorney of Weatherford county as a clerk and law student. As expressed by a man who knew him in those days, "he fairly ate the law books." He swept through them with lightning speed, and in 1891, at the age of 19, he was admitted to the bar. He was then one of the leading young citizens of the county seat. As soon as he was admitted to

trial courts and was regarded as a "comer" in criminal law.

Involved in "Big" Cases.

In 1899 he was made an assistant district attorney of Kings county, and while serving in that capacity he had charge of some of the most notable cases in the borough across the bridge. He prosecuted "Five Hundred and Twenty Per Cent" Miller and was chief prosecutor in many other prominent cases. And during all this time he was gradually earning a reputation as an orator and after-dinner speaker. He attracted particular attention because he was of a different school from his competitors. He brought east with him a southern charm of manner that invariably made friends for him.

His real debut as an orator came during the campaign of 1900, in the old Academy of Music, in Brooklyn. Known as a man who could make a fair speech, he was put down on the programme as one of the tallenders. Three Democrats of national prominence were scheduled for the chief addresses, and David B. Hill was heralded as the principal attraction. When his turn came Mr. Littleton—then a man of but 28 years—created a sensation from the start. It is no exaggeration to say that he really electrified the audience. His speech was short, clear and to the point, and his eloquence stirred the crowd to storms of applause. Instead of leaving the hall everyone stayed and still others jammed their way in.

Littleton became known outside of Brooklyn after that. It was that effort,



MARTIN W. LITTLETON

other lawyer who has in recent years been in full charge of a case so important as the Thaw trial, Mr. Littleton will be eagerly watched during his conduct of that trial. His friends say that his experience as a prosecuting attorney in Texas and in Brooklyn will greatly aid him in his fight, and they predict that the pitting of his ability against the cool, unerring methods of District Attorney Jerome will furnish one of the most interesting contests of its kind seen in New York in many years.

It's Chief Use.

"These," said the inventor proudly, "are photographs of the finest aeroplane the world has yet seen."

We studied the remarkable-looking object.

"And how is it supposed to work?" we asked.

"Oh," he rejoined, "it isn't supposed to work at all; but you can see what splendid newspaper and magazine articles it will make."

Mrs. Evans' Claim.

Mrs. Evans, of Richmond-on-Thames, England, claims she is the only woman entitled to wear the Alma, Balacaya, and Inkerman medals, permission having been granted on the death of her husband, whom she accompanied through the Crimea. She was often under fire.

Discovered Prehistoric Ruin.

In Spruce canyon, near Cliff palace, Colorado, Prof. E. L. Hewitt has discovered a prehistoric ruin six stories high, one of the finest examples of the cliff dwelling ever found.

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S. Herd returned to Tishomingo this morning.

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U. G. Winn is transacting business at Stonewall today.

Will deliver prescriptions and medicines. J. E. JONES DRUG CO.

Mrs. F. M. Massengale returned from Asher this morning.

Don't pass up my line of bookkeeping outfits, if they did arrive late. DR. HOLLEY.

J. B. Ingram went to Sasakwa today.

Clothing half price in our big clearance sale. COX-GREER-McDONALD CO.

Mrs. A. Fulton left this morning for a few days visit at Sherman.

Invoice ledgers, cash books, day books and journals, just arrived at Holley's Drug Store.

W. H. L. Campbell came in this morning from Guthrie.

Invoice ledgers, cash books, day books and journals, just arrived at Holley's Drug Store.

Mrs. N. Y. Hollifield returned from Kenawa this morning.

Jones! He pays the freight. Delivers all drugs and prescriptions. Phone 10.

J. C. Cates went to Stonewall this morning.

Don't pass up my line of bookkeeping outfits, if they did arrive late. DR. HOLLEY.

J. L. Spruce went to Stonewall this morning.

The most popular young lady in the county will secure a \$500 piano, given by The News.

A. L. Beck went to Oklahoma City Monday.

FOR SALE—One good milch cow, calf about two weeks old. Joe Rushing, Ada, Okla.

Rev. J. B. McDonald of Vinita, is here today mingling with friends.

Subscribe for the Daily News. Why? Because it gives the news while it is news; not history.

Rev. C. M. Coppes spent Monday night with Ada friends.

Bring in your boy and let us fit him with a good suit and overcoat while you can both for the price of one. COX-GREER-McDONALD CO.

Miss Maudena White is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Tally in Sun-
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Mrs. Robert Wimblish and Children went to Stonewall this morning on a short visit.

Take your old clothes to Berry at Crowder's Barber shop; he will make

Mrs. Graves came in Monday from Houston, Tex., to make Ada her future home.

We will make it to your advantage P. B. WILSON LUMBER CO. to figure with us on your bill.

J. HENRY COLLINS, Manager.

Mrs. Will Moon who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. H. J. Slack returned to her home at Caddo this morning.

Hon. Claude Stringer, prominent attorney from Oklahoma City, and an old boyhood friend and schoolmate of the News editor, is in the city today.

Mrs. J. Phillips, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. D. Reed returned to her home at New Orleans this morning.

Half price on Clothing means something, especially at our store because it is an established fact that we carry the best in town. COX-GREER-McDONALD CO.

Mrs. Meadows, state organizer of the Woodmen Circle was here last night and installed officers of the Circle. She left this morning for Muskogee.

Forty-Six Organized.
Supt. Pierre of Pontotoc county schools has up to date organized forty-six of the 54 which have been laid out. He says that since state superintendent, Cameron, has extended the time limit, 30 days for organizing purposes, he will have the total number in a thorough organized shape in due time to procure the county's pro rata share of the state fund. About 7000 children of school age have been reported to date.

Oxaline.
Absence makes the heart grow fonder. Peroxide makes the blood more blooder. Oxaline makes the grass grow larger. Spread it on!

Court News.
The case of J. W. Davis vs. the M. K. and T. railroad was concluded this morning. Davis recovered \$325. The case of T. B. McKeown vs. J. C. Meaders was up throughout the afternoon. It is reported that the grand jury will make a report this afternoon. Marriage license were issued in favor of O. L. Unsell and Beattie Hathaway of York.

Fifteen Applicants.
H. C. Cusey, representing the U. S. Indian agency concluded two days' labors today in the hearing of applications for the removal of restrictions. At 3 p. m. fifteen applicants had been heard and their petitions heard. He is accompanied by his secretary, Oliver K. Chandler. Their next stop will be at Bartlesville.

Sunday at the Presbyterian Church. (Continued.)

Now I ask can James contradict Paul and Moses, patriarchs and prophets, Jesus Christ and apostles? Surely not. What do they say with regard to the justification of sinners? Gen. 15:6. "And he believed in the Lord, and he counted it to him for righteousness." This is what Moses says about the justification of Abraham and this was long before Isaac was born. Hence the condition of justification is fully revealed in Gen. 15:6. Here the apostle reasons from Abraham's justification, proving that both Jews and heathens are justified, saved by faith only. The justification of Abraham is the manner, the method, the pattern of the justification of sinners in all ages. If he were justified by works, so are they; but if the condition of his justification was faith without works, then the condition of their justification is the same. Rom. 4:1-5. Here the apostle shows, first and quotes Gen. 15:6 that Abraham was justified by faith only. Second, then the general application is made "to him (whoever) that worketh not, but believeth on him that justifieth the ungodly, his faith (not works) is counted for righteousness." Rom. 4:20-24. Here the Scriptures prove Abraham was strong in faith, giving glory to God, more than 20 years before Isaac was born. The period between the justification of Abraham by faith and his justification by works when he offered Isaac was at least 35 years. If it takes 35 years to save one man, then it takes 35 years to save all men, for all are saved just like Abraham. See Rom. 4:20-24. These scriptures declare that Abraham's faith was counted for righteousness, and not his works. Then it is certain that faith was the only condition of his pardon. It is also certain that he was saved by faith long before Isaac was born. This testimony entirely excludes the notion that any act of obedience in the way of works, was connected with his justification in the sense of pardon. A more illustrious example of faith is not to be found in the sacred Book. In Rom. and Gal. chapters 3 and 4, from which these quotations are made, the apostle is discussing the subject of justification, or pardon; and faith is presented as the only condition of pardon. Acts 10:43. Faith in Jesus Christ was the condition of pardon proclaimed by all the prophets to all the Jews through all the past. The same condition of pardon is now proclaimed to the Gentiles for all the future. Rom. 1:16-17. Here we have one Jesus Christ and one gospel to all men—Jews and Gentiles. God has never instituted but one law of pardon. That law embraces all ages and is the same to each individual member of our race. The righteousness of God in that gospel is revealed from faith to faith, and not from faith to works, hence the two dispensations in the remedial scheme show that God never had but one method of justifying the ungodly, and that by faith in Jesus Christ. "It pleased God by the foolishness of preaching to save them that believe."

The work of God, in order to remission of sin or pardon, is faith only. See John 6:28-29. We are born of God by faith in Jesus Christ. 1. John 5:1. Everlasting life is secured by faith. John 5:21. Good works are no where in the word of God declared to procure remission of sins, but good works are declarative of our faith. We keep God's commandments because we love him, and in order to love him. Paul is to the point in hand. Eph. 2:8-10. We are "created in Christ Jesus unto good Works." On our part the condition is faith only. Being saved, God works in us to will and to do. Phil. 2:12-13. Sinners are justified by faith Rom. 15:9. If the heart is purified it is made free from sin. "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God." We are sanctified by faith. Acts 26:18. We are saved by faith. Acts 16:31. "What must I do to be saved? Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved." Salvation is the point in question and salvation is the point in answer. Jesus is the name, and faith

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the only condition. Luke 7:50. "Woman, thy faith hath saved thee, go in peace." 1 Pet. 1:9. "Receiving the end of your faith (what is that) even the salvation of your soul." A man's honest opinion is no where made a standard of justification.

The believer is not condemned. John 3:18. The believer has peace with God. Rom. 5:1. The believer is a child of God. Gal. 3:26. If a child then an heir of God and a joint heir with Christ. Rom. 8:17. The believer has the righteousness of God. Rom. 3:22. The believer has everlasting life. John 5:24. Neither water baptism nor joining the church will procure remission of sin. But "believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved." Venture now, fall at the Saviour's feet. "Lord save me or I perish," and lift your heart in praise for his amazing grace.

J. R. BROWNE.

There once was a maiden young and gay,
She'd laugh and sing the whole long day.

For I am so happy and well, said she,
Now that I take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. G. M. Ramsey.

Dr. Saffers left this morning for Chicago where he will attend C. N. Haskell's Post Graduate School of Dentistry.

Notice.
The party who took the five yards of silk from our store this morning will return it or send us \$7.50. No same will be given or questions asked. COX-GREER-McDONALD CO.

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WRIGHT BROS.

From Roff Local, Attention.

Jan. 14, 1908.—Have just heard from O. W. Taylor, county secretary. He reports every thing favorable at Roff. Good attendance at both local and district meetings. Election of officers of Roff local resulted as follows: W. H. Houser, president; O. W. Taylor, vice president; W. E. Walker, secretary treasurer.

Election of district officers. O. W. Taylor, president; J. R. Fletcher, vice president; W. E. Walker, secretary treasurer.

Don't forget the county meeting Thursday before the first Saturday in April. Locals please take notice.

Just think of the cold weather and come at once to the Grand Leader for a good overcoat for \$4.99; a good heavy cloak for \$5.98; blankets, 89c; ladies' underwear for 19c each. Everything in the house reduced in price during our Original Clearing Sale. **GRAND LEADER.**

Organ Benefit.

Circle No. 4 of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Christian church will receive and serve refreshments to the members and friends of the society at the home of Mrs. R. D. Allen from three to five Wednesday afternoon (Jan. 15, 1908) Object of the occasion is a benefit for the organ fund. Refreshments ten cents. All welcome.

Phone us. We will call for your job printing order.

SHADE TREES.

The season for planting Shade Trees is here and you should beautify your property by planting. Call on or write **CHARLES HAY,** East 15th St. Ada, Okla.

Robt. Walker of Midland was in the city today.

Col. Date Crawford is here from Stonewall transacting legal business.

Orel Harper of Allen was a visitor in Ada today.

W. J. Carter and family are here today.

S. J. Smith of Oakman was in town today.

C. G. Whiteside is transacting business in Hope, Ark.

E. T. Pendleton of near Knox was here today.

Those who desire the Monthly Pictorial Review magazine may procure a two year's subscription for the small sum of \$1.50 and get two patterns. Grand Leader.

THE "SECRET OF SECRETS"

In Store Advertising.

One of the wisest of men wrote:

"Suffer any person to tell us his story, morning and evening, for but a twelvemonth, AND HE WILL BECOME OUR MASTER!"

In the above sentence we have, in a nutshell, the INNERMOST SECRET OF SUCCESSFUL ADVERTISING—frequency, and persistence, and unvarying continuity in the telling of the story of store or enterprise. There are many other things to be said of successful advertising, but in the above quotation is found the real philosophy, the real secret—**THE HEART OF THE WHOLE MATTER!**

ONCE TRACK WALKER,
NOW GREAT LAWYER

The Career of Martin W. Littleton

Selected as Leading Counsel for Harry K. Thaw, It Is
Predicted That District Attorney Jerome Will Find
in Him a Worthy Opponent at Coming Trial.

New York—It was back in 1888 when the following dialogue took place between the foreman of a little railroad down in Texas and a rosy cheeked, smiling young trackwalker whose good nature and ready tongue had earned him a reputation extending clear across a Texas township. "You're a pretty bright young man," said the foreman "I suppose some day you expect to be the conductor of a freight train, don't you?" "No, sir," replied the trackwalker, "I never expect to be that."

"You don't? You ought to aspire to something like that. What do you hope to be?"

"I expect to be a big lawyer in New York City."

After the foreman had recovered from his laughter he said: "Pretty far cry from trackwalker to a metropolitan lawyer, isn't it?"

"Yes, sir, but no farther than from rail splitter to president."

Martin W. Littleton was the rosy-cheeked trackwalker. A few years later when the whole country was raving with his speech at the St. Louis national convention in which he nominated Alton B. Parker for the presidency, Mr. Littleton went back to his old corner of Texas, and met the railroad foreman who had sketched out for him the brilliant future of a freight conductor.

Part of Ambition Realized.

"Well, Martin," said the foreman, "you've changed some since I was your boss, ain't you?"

"I'm older."

"And you're a big New York lawyer, too, ain't you?"

"Well, I don't know about the 'big,' but I'm a New York lawyer, anyhow."

It probably caused some talk down in Texas, when it was learned that



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"Mart" Littleton had been selected as chief counsel for Harry K. Thaw. It caused some in New York. While he has been recognized for several years as an able trial lawyer, he has not been prominently identified with the criminal branch of his profession, although he has been many times advised that he could become supreme in that field if he would enter it.

His success since he left his old home in Texas has been almost phenomenal, and it has been due largely to these things—determination, affability of manner, a gift of oratory and conciseness of expression. There are few men in New York who can excel him in making a plea before a jury; there are fewer who can make a more pleasing after-dinner speech; there are few who can equal him in clearly stating a complex proposition; there is none who can excel him in dealing a telling verbal blow at an opportune time. And, added to it all, he is a thorough student of the law. He is an expert at cross-examination, is a fighter for what he thinks is right and he has a forceful way with a jury.

Became Famed as Orator.

Back in his boyhood days in Texas he was known as an orator and storyteller. He could recite all the old fifth reader masterpieces with a fire that stirred the "boys" in the village store, and, a short time later, when he was active in politics but not old enough to vote, he could rouse the old timers down in Weatherford to bursts of applause with his oratorical efforts.

It was due to no choice of his own

practice he hung out his shingle in Weatherford, and forthwith he began to win cases in the local courts. The snavity of manner that distinguished him proved to be one of his chief assets, and the quick wit which gives him advantage over his opponents at the present time aided him then in defeating his older adversaries. Two years in Weatherford put him at the head of the profession there, despite the fact that he was still a beardless youth who had cast but one vote.

Bright Career in Dallas.

Dallas was the scene of his next endeavors. He was unheralded, but it was only a short time before he became recognized as a lawyer of ability and boundless ambition. In two years he became assistant district attorney, and in that capacity he made a reputation as a prosecutor which extended pretty well all over Texas. His grasp of criminal law was described as remarkable and his handling of a jury was said to be little short of marvelous. There was just enough of the old southern fire in his oratory to make juries bow before him.

During his career in Dallas he was constantly fondling his ambition to come to New York. He had never been east of the Texas line since his father had moved over from Tennessee, and he had never met more than a half dozen men from the metropolis. But he had read of it and dreamed of it and he was determined to make a clean jump across the continent as soon as he could scrape together enough money to pay the expenses of himself and—of Mrs. Littleton.

Winning a Wife.

There wasn't any Mrs. Littleton at that time, but he was determined there should be. It has been said that the greatest oratorical effort of his life was that put forth when he induced his wife to marry him, give up her luxurious home in Texas, and come to New York with him. He had made a splendid success as a lawyer, but had little money; he had no friends in New York, and not even a suggestion that he might obtain work. Mr. and Mrs. Littleton, nevertheless, bade good-bye to Dallas in 1896 and a short time later arrived in the city, which the youthful bridegroom—he was then but 24 years old—had dreamed of conquering.

The young lawyer, despite his Texas laurels, did not make the strides here he had made in the southwest, but he was neither surprised nor disappointed. He sought work in the offices of various lawyers and finally obtained a position with the firm of Peck & Field. Later he found a place with Sheehan & Collins. Still later he became attorney for the Brooklyn Heights Railway company, and it was while there that his star began to rise. He attracted attention in the



MARTIN W. LITTLETON

trial courts and was regarded as a "comer" in criminal law.

Involved in "Big" Cases.

In 1899 he was made an assistant district attorney of Kings county, and while serving in that capacity he had charge of some of the most notable cases in the borough across the bridge. He prosecuted "Five Hundred and Twenty Per Cent" Miller and was chief prosecutor in many other prominent cases. And during all this time he was gradually earning a reputation as an orator and after-dinner speaker. He attracted particular attention because he was of a different school from his competitors. He brought east with him a southern charm of manner that invariably made friends for him.

His real debut as an orator came during the campaign of 1900, in the old Academy of Music, in Brooklyn. Known as a man who could make a fair speech, he was put down on the programme as one of the tallenders. Three Democrats of national prominence were scheduled for the chief addresses, and David B. Hill was heralded as the principal attraction. When his turn came Mr. Littleton—then a man of but 28 years—created a sensation from the start. It is no exaggeration to say that he really electrified the audience. His speech was short, clear and to the point, and his eloquence stirred the crowd to storms of applause. Instead of leaving the hall everyone stayed and still others jammed their way in.

Littleton became known outside of Brooklyn after that. It was that effort,

in fact, which led to his selection as the man to nominate Alton B. Parker for the presidency at the St. Louis convention of 1904. William F. Sheehan heard his Academy of Music speech, and in looking for some one to make the supreme effort at the St. Louis convention he suggested Littleton.

Studied Addresses Carefully.

It is not necessary to recall the sensation caused by Mr. Littleton's speech in St. Louis, but it is interesting to recall the preparation made for the address. Unlike most orators, Mr. Littleton does not profess to be an impromptu speaker. He can make an impromptu speech, but he never does so if he can help it. He prepares his sentences with great care and then commits them to memory. In fact, he does not have to put forth any effort to memorize them. When he has written a speech he has learned it. He can repeat it with practically no variation.

He prepared his St. Louis speech weeks ahead of time. He rehearsed it at home, and when he needed a larger place in which to train his voice he went out to the cathedral in Garden City and practised for hours. After he reached St. Louis he went to the convention hall one Sunday afternoon, and in the presence of two or three of his friends went through the speech two or three times to get the proper pitch for his voice. His oration created a sensation and put him instantly in the front rank of American orators.

Never a Seeker for Office.

Although possessing the attributes of a successful politician and having political ambitions, Mr. Littleton has not been a seeker for office. He was permanent chairman of the Democratic state convention in 1902 and was borough president of Brooklyn in 1904 and 1905. He was urged to accept a renomination for borough president, but he declined. He had two reasons for doing so. One was that he wanted to leave the office before he had been criticised; the other was that he was, as he publicly expressed it at the time, "unable to make both ends meet."

He retired from public life to build up a law practice, and he has been busily engaged in doing so ever since. He left Brooklyn a couple of years ago and set up in Manhattan, and he has been prominently before the public since in his legal capacity. In the matter of earnings he is said to rank with the leading lawyers of the city.

Not yet 36 years of age, he may truthfully be said to have a glowing future, and his close friends intimate that it will not be alone in the field of law. After he has accumulated a comfortable fortune it is said he may seek again to re-enter public life.

Younger by many years than any

MAY BE NEW BRITISH AMBASSADOR



SIR HENRY HOWARD.

If the calling home to London of James Bryce means that his term as British ambassador to the United States has ended, as it is believed it does, he probably will be succeeded by Sir Henry Howard, for the last eleven years British envoy to the Netherlands. Sir Henry has been in the diplomatic service since 1865. He is married to an American woman—Cecilia, daughter of the late George W. Riggs of Washington.

MADE FIRE ON FROZEN LAKE. Phenomenon Not So Great When Explanation Was Made.

"Cold" Then we'll set fire to some ice and warm ourselves."

The speaker made, with the heel of his skate, a hole in the ice. He applied a match to the hole. The ice blazed up instantly with a hot, bright flame.

"Oh, how good it feels," said the young girl. She removed her gloves to warm her slim hands the better. "But isn't it rather odd," she said, "to warm one's hands at a fire of ice?"

"You are a stranger to Atchison," said the young Kansan, "or you wouldn't find it odd. We are used to it here. Always, when we skate on Lake Doniphan, we set the ice afire if we are cold."

She watched her own little fire.

"What is the explanation of this miracle?" she said.

"A very simple one," said the young man. "This lake is full of natural gas. When it freezes over, gas in the form of bubbles impregnates the ice. You have only to burst open a bubble and put a match to it, and up shoots a magical flame."

"Wonderful!" said the young girl.

LAST DROP IN MISERY'S CUP. Ungallant Remark of Youth Completed Woman's Day of Woe.

The woman who had shopped until the closing gong had sounded stood at the transfer station and awaited the suburban trolley.

"What," she wearily asked herself, "does it profit a woman if she does gain the elusive bargain and loses every trace of physical freshness?"

Presently the car came along. It had the usual fringe of humanity strung along the running-board, and the woman resignedly prepared to stand between the seats, when a grumpy youth rose and tendered her his place. Protesting faintly, she sank into it guiltily and registered a vow never to shop overtime again.

In due time several seats were vacated, and the woman looked hopefully toward her knight.

"Jimmy," a friend of his was saying, "there's room inside now. Why don't you sit down?"

And the last drop of discomfort was added to the woman's cup of humiliation when Jimmy responded:

"Aw, what's the use? No sooner 'I'll get me legs stretched when another

COMPARISON OF NATIONAL WEALTH

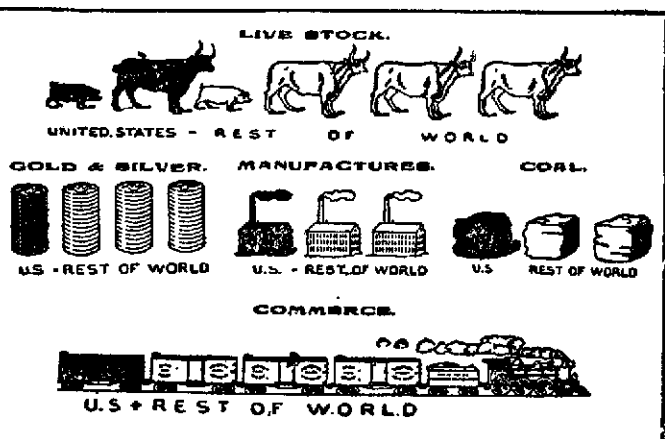


Diagram Showing How the United States is Favored Above Other Countries of the World.

"What a fine thing it would be if the ice of all skating ponds could be impregnated in this way with gas. Then skaters would never need be cold."

Reduced Size.

After a concert at Manchester, England, Joachim, the great violinist, whose death occurred recently, was at the railway station, waiting for a train.

A respectable-looking man, apparently a navvy in his best clothes, paced at his side a while, watching him with close interest. Finally he asked for a light, and got it. "As he drew at his pipe to get it started, he looked Joachim full in the face. Then, just as he was about to go on, he tapped the violinist's chest impressively.

"But Paganini was the man," said he.

Joachim used to say, declares the narrator of this story, that he never felt so small in his life. Whole pages of learned musical criticism had never begun to whittle him down so fine.—Youth's Companion.

The Contented Tramp.

Steinlen, the Parisian humorist, has given us a picture of an ancient tramp, with hair and beard as white as wool, who sits in a patch of unoccupied land on the outskirts of the city at the end of a long suburban thoroughfare, a street that was once a road, perhaps Content, if not happiness, is the old tramp's present share in the world's temporalities. "Un sou de pain," he soliloquized, "et deux sous de tabac, la terre peut continuer a tourner."—London Outlook.

History Repeats Itself.

It is interesting in this day and generation to know that the lawyer for the defense in the Brown-Bradley case is of the opinion that a woman who is interested in politics must be an abnormal creature. "I have no taste," said Napoleon, "for women who meddle in politics." "You may perhaps be right," replied Mme. de Staël, "but since people have taken the freedom to cut their heads off on account of politics, they ought at least to be allowed to understand why."

Against Wine Sellers.

No wine may hereafter be sold in Spain on Sundays, and the inns must be closed on weekdays at midnight.